SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1066

In Memory of Mildred A. May

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio and the Texas A&M University community in mourning the loss of Mildred A. May, who died April 8, 2003, at the age of 84; and

WHEREAS, Born December 10, 1918, in Waco, Mildred was a proud graduate of Waco High School; she was an active member of the San Antonio A&M Mothers' Club, and had served as the organization's president; she was also past president of the Federation of A&M University Mothers' Clubs; she was preceded in death by her husband, Lieutenant Colonel Fred May, Jr.; and

WHEREAS, Known as "the penultimate Aggie Mom," Mildred joined the San Antonio A&M Mothers' Club when her oldest son began attending the university in 1964, and she never stopped being involved; she became the university's Singing Cadets' biggest booster in San Antonio, and she was named an Honorary Singing Cadet; for 39 years, she sponsored the all-male chorus' annual spring concert in San Antonio; and

WHEREAS, This year, after finding that Mrs. May was unable to attend the group's most recent concert, the cadets met her in Aggie Park and serenaded her; through raising funds for scholarships, she had made it possible for many students to attend Texas A&M University; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. May was a 50-year member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Bexar Chapter, and a past Worthy Matron; and

WHEREAS, A woman of integrity, strength, and generosity, she gave unselfishly of her time to others, and her wisdom, warmth, and valued counsel will not be forgotten by those who knew her; and

WHEREAS, Mildred May was a devoted mother and grandmother and "Mom" to many young people, and she leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by her family, her extended family, and her many friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Mildred A. May: her sons and daughter-in-law, Colonel Fred May and Pat and Herbert May; her grandchildren, Kim Moore and husband, Ruffin, Kris Stanzione and husband, John, Matt May, and Steven May; and her two great-granddaughters, Briana Stanzione and Jillian Moore; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the members of her family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Mildred A. May.

Wentworth

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2003, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate