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H.R. No. 60

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Government Employees Credit Union of El Paso
2 offers the benefits of both a commercial financial institution and
3 a member-owned cooperative, and those Texans who give of their time
4 and talents to serve the organization as board members help to
5 ensure the ongoing success of this vital community resource; and

6 WHEREAS, Harriet May is one such individual, and she has
7 proven to be an effective advocate for the interests of her fellow
8 credit union members since her appointment as GECU president and
9 CEO in 1996; and

10 WHEREAS, Initially hired as a teller in 1974, she has shared
11 her extensive experience and expertise as a member of the oversight
12 committee of PULSE EFT Network, the board of the Credit Union
13 National Association, and the board of the Texas Credit Union
14 League, which she has served as chair; elected as the Texas Credit
15 Union Professional of the Year in 2005, she has also served the El
16 Paso chapter of Financial Women International as president; and

17 WHEREAS, Ms. May's commitment to the community extends far
18 beyond her work in the financial realm, and she is a director of the
19 El Paso United Way and a recipient of UTEP's 2000 College of Science
20 Gold Nugget Award and the 1997 YWCA Reach Award; and

21 WHEREAS, During her outstanding tenure on the GECU board, Ms.
22 May has devoted herself to the welfare of the institution and its
23 members, setting a high standard of excellence for the benefit of
24 all; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
2 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby honor Harriet May for her
3 service on the board of the Government Employees Credit Union of El
4 Paso and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be
5 it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Ms. May as an expression of high regard by the Texas
8 House of Representatives.