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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Roger and Marie Johnston of Corsicana have marked a 1 2 momentous occasion in their lives together with the celebration of 3 their 69th wedding anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnston and the former Lillie Marie Beauchamp first met on Beaton Street; four months later, he asked her on a date, and they married a year and a half later on March 23, 1937, at Roger Stewart's home in Fairfield; their enduring union has been blessed with two children, Peggy Sue Johnson and Pamela June Burns, and they have shared in the joy of welcoming into their cherished family six grandchildren, Sherri Michelle Weaks, Brian Allan Johnson, Paulette Renee Cunningham, Kimberly Jeanice Allen, 12 Charles "Chuck" Burns, Jr., and Kristi Lynette Garcia, and 14 great-grandchildren, Heath Carl Weaks, Courtney Blair Bishop, 13 14 Jonathan David Weaks, Nathan Michael Weaks, Kate Samantha Cunningham, Emma Faith Cunningham, Ashley Nicole Allen, Brittany Elise Allen, Melanie Brooke Fields, Bethany Ann Burns, Mark Adam Burns, Matthew Mason Burns, Justin David Garcia, and Breanna Molly Garcia; and

WHEREAS, Natives of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston are 19 valued members of the community and congregants at First Baptist 20 21 Church; he retired from Mastervend and she retired from Adams Hat Factory; and 22

WHEREAS, This devoted couple have shared 69 years of 23 marriage, filling each other's lives with many happy times and 24

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- 1 special family memories, and it is a pleasure to honor them; now,
- 2 therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 4 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Roger and
- 5 Marie Johnston on their 69th wedding anniversary and extend to them
- 6 best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Johnston as an expression of high regard
- 9 by the Texas House of Representatives.