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RESOLUTION

| 1 | WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary is truly cause for |
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| 2 | rejoicing, and Midland residents Wayne and Edna Kerley marked this |
| 3 | momentous milestone in their long and happy marriage on August 22, |
| 4 | 2005; and |
| 5 | WHEREAS, Mr. Kerley and the former Edna Carter exchanged |
| 6 | their wedding vows on August 22, 1955, at a ceremony held in |
| 7 | Midland; their marriage has been blessed with two sons, Michael and |
| 8 | Matthew Kerley, and grandchildren Addison and Bailey Kerley; and |
| 9 | WHEREAS, Now enjoying a well-deserved retirement, Mrs. |
| 10 | Kerley was formerly employed as a secretary for the Western Company |
| 11 | and the Bariod Company, while Mr. Kerley served as battalion chief |
| 12 | at the Midland Fire Department; and |
| 13 | WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Kerley have shared life's trials and |
| 14 | triumphs for half a century, and they may reflect with pride on all |
| 15 | they have achieved as devoted life partners; now, therefore, be it |
| 16 | RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas |
| 17 | Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby warmly congratulate Wayne |
| 18 | and Edna Kerley on their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them |
| 19 | sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further |
| 20 | RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be |
| 21 | prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Kerley as an expression of high regard by |
| 22 | the Texas House of Representatives. |