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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, St. Paul United Methodist Church in San Antonio
2 hosted its Women's Day program on March 26, 2006; and

3 WHEREAS, One of the oldest historically African American
4 churches in the area, this esteemed house of worship has played a
5 pivotal role in the lives of its congregants as well as residents of
6 the surrounding neighborhoods; and

7 WHEREAS, The Women's Day program, chaired by Lois Washington,
8 featured as keynote speaker the Reverend Jamelle Jacobs, who
9 currently pastors Knights Monumental African Methodist Episcopal
10 Church in Stockbridge, Georgia; Reverend Jacobs accepted the call
11 to the ministry in 1981 and was ordained three years later; the
12 founder of Love in Action, an interdenominational ministry at the
13 University of Virginia, she has preached throughout the
14 northeastern United States; and

15 WHEREAS, The St. Paul Women's Day program offers a valuable
16 avenue for women to further serve their church and the wider
17 community, and it is indeed a pleasure to honor its participants as
18 well as the church's entire congregation at this time; now,
19 therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
21 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commemorate the 2006
22 Women's Day program of St. Paul United Methodist Church and extend
23 to all those who attended heartfelt best wishes for the future; and,
24 be it further

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1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas
3 House of Representatives.