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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The family and friends of Eula B. Pace McCray of
2 Dallas may find comfort in memories of happy times shared with this
3 beloved woman, who died on April 27, 2006, at the age of 80; and

4 WHEREAS, Born to Sid Pace and Katie Jackson on February 12,
5 1926, in Cotton Valley, Louisiana, she grew up with 13 brothers and
6 sisters and attended public schools in McNeil, Arkansas; and

7 WHEREAS, With her husband, the late Forest McCray, Sr., Mrs.
8 McCray enjoyed a fulfilling marriage that was made even richer as
9 the couple become the parents of four children; as her family
10 continued to grow through the years, she enjoyed the love and
11 affection of two more generations of descendants; and

12 WHEREAS, Mrs. McCray shared her unwavering faith with the
13 congregation of Arlington Park First Baptist Church, which she
14 helped establish in 1953, and where she served on the deaconess and
15 mission boards and in the choir; and

16 WHEREAS, Eula McCray brightened the lives of many people
17 through her kindness, strong faith, and concern for others, and she
18 will long be remembered by those who were fortunate enough to share
19 in her love and friendship; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
21 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of
22 Eula B. Pace McCray and extend deepest sympathy to the members of
23 her family: to her children, Cheridean, Forest, Norma, and Sydney;
24 to her grandchildren, Bruce, Morita, Kathy, Faith, Hope, Aniqua,

1 Ruben, and Valerie; to her great-grandchildren, Dennis, Courtney,
2 Bruce, Marquis, Karlesha, Lyndon, Joshia, Mikaria, Cynthia, and
3 Shatodra; to her sister, Lizzie Bryant; to her brothers and their
4 wives, Sid Wendell and Ruth Pace, Burnell and Bobbie Pace, Clifton
5 and Doris Pace, and C. L. and Onettia Pace; to her nieces, Katie
6 Harris and Harris Hodge; and to her other relatives and friends;
7 and, be it further

8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
9 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
10 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Eula
11 McCray.