

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Fidel and Andrea R. Villarreal Elementary School
2 is opening its doors in the fall of 2005, ushering in an exciting
3 new era of educational opportunity for the children of Zapata
4 County; and

5 WHEREAS, The institution will undoubtedly be an exemplary
6 place of learning that will provide local students with a strong
7 foundation on which to build; and

8 WHEREAS, Constructed on 15 acres of land donated by the
9 Villarreal family, the school is named to honor the memory of
10 lifelong Zapata County residents Fidel and Andrea R. Villarreal;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, Respected members of the community, this notable
13 Texas couple operated the Bluebonnet Cafe for more than 30 years and
14 were also involved in farming, ranching, and the furniture
15 business; firm believers in the importance of education, they
16 successfully instilled the same values in their family, as
17 evidenced by the fact that five of their six children and all of
18 their grandchildren graduated from college; and

19 WHEREAS, Today, the generous contribution of the Villarreal
20 family furthers the enduring legacy of Fidel and Andrea Villarreal,
21 whose commitment to education and helping others will benefit
22 countless young Texans; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the 79th Legislature of the State of Texas
24 hereby pay special tribute to the memory of Fidel and Andrea R.

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1 Villarreal and commemorate the opening of the Fidel and Andrea R.
2 Villarreal Elementary School in Zapata County; and, be it further

3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
4 prepared for the Villarreal family and for the school as an
5 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives and
6 Senate.

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 141 was adopted by the House on April 11, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 141 was adopted by the Senate on April 18, 2005, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor