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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Otha and Veneda Brown of Brownfield marked a golden
2 milestone in their long and happy union when they celebrated their
3 50th wedding anniversary on June 19, 2004, with a reception hosted
4 by their family at the Dal Paso Museum in Lamesa; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Brown married the former Veneda Young on June
6 18, 1954, in Lamesa, and over the years they have nurtured a strong
7 bond of love; their marriage has been blessed with four children,
8 Rhnea Jolley, Kalith Brown, Jalene Young, and Ed Martin, and they
9 have felt great pride as their family has grown to include six
10 granddaughters, six grandsons, and two great-grandchildren; and

11 WHEREAS, Respected members of the Brownfield community, the
12 pair attend the Welch Church of Christ, where Mrs. Brown works two
13 days a week and Mr. Brown serves as an elder; in addition, they
14 enjoy traveling and antiquing and are active in the Big Spring
15 Antique Auto Club of America; and

16 WHEREAS, For half a century, this devoted couple have enjoyed
17 an enduring union that has enriched their lives and the lives of
18 their family and friends, and it is a pleasure to honor them at this
19 time; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
21 Legislature hereby heartily congratulate Otha and Veneda Brown on
22 their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best
23 wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Brown as an expression of high regard by
2 the Texas House of Representatives.