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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A golden wedding anniversary is truly cause for
2 rejoicing, and on October 7, 2003, Jim and Jean Evans of Midland
3 marked this significant milestone in their long and happy marriage;
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5 WHEREAS, Mr. Evans and the former Glenda Jean Talley were
6 married on October 7, 1953, by a family friend, Pastor Charles R.
7 Gates, at the First United Methodist Church in Post; and

8 WHEREAS, This couple have led active lives: Mr. Evans
9 retired from Dowell as regional accounts manager in 1985 and served
10 as a consultant until his retirement in 2003; Mrs. Evans retired
11 from Continental Telephone Company in 1980 after serving as
12 personnel supervisor; both Mr. and Mrs. Evans are members of
13 Stonegate Fellowship in Midland; and

14 WHEREAS, The Evanses celebrated their golden anniversary
15 with family and friends at a dinner party hosted by their daughters
16 and sons-in-law, Vicki and Steve Beggs and Lisa and Joe Don George,
17 at the Grasslands Estates Clubhouse; also hosting the festivities
18 were the couple's grandchildren and their spouses, Jeremy George,
19 Jeff and Laura George, Melissa, Laura, and Alex Beggs, and Carrie
20 and John Montgomery; the extended Evans family also includes five
21 great-grandchildren; and

22 WHEREAS, The enduring union of Jim and Jean Evans remains a
23 source of inspiration and joy to the family and friends with whom
24 they have shared the richness of their lives, and this beloved pair

1 are most deserving of warmest congratulations; now, therefore, be
2 it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
4 Legislature hereby congratulate Jim and Jean Evans on their 50th
5 wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
6 continued happiness; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Evans as an expression of high regard by
9 the Texas House of Representatives.