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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Kathy Nichols received the 2004 Woman of the Year 2 Award from the Palacios Chamber of Commerce for her outstanding and

3 dedicated service to her community; and

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WHEREAS, Born in Kansas City in 1951, Ms. Nichols attended college at the University of Colorado at Boulder and completed her degree at Kansas University; she explored the country for several years and eventually settled in Fort Collins, Colorado, where she distinguished herself as an election judge and as a member of the

water board and a local homeowners association; and

WHEREAS, This civic-minded woman and her husband, Nick, "discovered" Palacios, after spending a year sailing and living on a sailboat in the Florida Keys; embarking on a new adventure, they bought the Main Bed and Breakfast and have since earned historical approval for the Koerber/Pybus house and become treasured citizens of this coastal town; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Nichols has actively contributed to the well-being of her community by starting the Palacios Recycle Center, serving on the city council, and co-managing the Palacios Community Medical Center, which was named the Business of the Year for 2004 by the chamber of commerce; and

21 WHEREAS, Kathy Nichols is an invaluable asset to her 22 community, and her tireless work in behalf of her fellow citizens is 23 truly inspirational; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby congratulate Kathy Nichols on her receipt of the
- 2 2004 Woman of the Year Award from the Palacios Chamber of Commerce
- 3 and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued achievement;
- 4 and, be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for Ms. Nichols as an expression of high regard by the
- 7 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 782 was adopted by the House on March 31, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House