By: Martinez H.R. No. 1071

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, March 2005 marked the opening of the new Alamo 2 Public Library, and this exciting occasion is indeed worthy of

- 3 special recognition; and
- WHEREAS, With double the square footage of the old facility,
- 5 the new library features a reference area, computer stations, and
- 6 private study rooms in addition to its extensive selection of
- 7 books; its unique inventory also includes early editions of poetry
- 8 collections by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow and Alfred Tennyson, as
- 9 well as a tribute to local poet and former library employee Sean
- 10 McKelvey; and
- 11 WHEREAS, The Alamo Public Library makes an inestimable
- 12 contribution to the residents of its region; under the leadership
- 13 of director Victoria Gonzalez, it will undoubtedly continue to
- 14 provide its same high quality service in its new location across the
- 15 street from the original facility; and
- WHEREAS, An inspiring affirmation of the community's
- 17 commitment to learning, the Alamo Public Library is a shining
- 18 symbol of education and culture, and it is indeed a pleasure to join
- 19 the citizens of Alamo in celebrating the opening of this fine new
- 20 library building; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby commemorate the opening of the new Alamo Public
- 23 Library and extend to all associated with this institution sincere
- 24 best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for the Alamo Public Library as an expression of the
- 3 sentiment of the Texas House of Representatives.