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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Mary Suarez Tijerina of Raymondville is a beloved 2 member of her community who is most deserving of special 3 recognition; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Tijerina has devoted much time and energy to 4 5 the March of Dimes, the American Cancer Society, and Our Lady of 6 Guadalupe Church and she was an active den mother for the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts; spirited and supportive, she is a dedicated 7 follower of the junior high school and high school football teams in 8 Raymondville, and for many years, she could be found in the stands 9 motivating the team and rallying the fans; in addition, she has 10 acted as the mistress of ceremonies for countless weddings, 11 12 quinceaneras, and anniversaries in the community; and

WHEREAS, Born on August 14, 1933, in Lyford, Mrs. Tijerina worked for the Raymondville ISD for 27 years as a snack bar manager and also dedicated more than 25 years of service to the district as a volunteer cook for annual booster fund-raisers; and

WHEREAS, Supported by her sons, Manuel, Alfredo, Luis, Alberto, Hector, and Mario, and her daughters, Nena and Norma, Mary Tijerina is truly a source of inspiration, and her generosity and kind spirit have brightened the lives of all those who are privileged to know her; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas Legislature hereby honor Mary Suarez Tijerina for her civic service and commend her for her dedication to the community of

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## 1 Raymondville; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 3 prepared for Mrs. Tijerina as an expression of high regard by the 4 Texas House of Representatives.