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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Sharing a quarter century of marriage is truly cause 2 for celebration, and James and Suzanne Lovegren of San Benito 3 marked this auspicious occasion in 2004; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lovegren married the former Suzanne Lapeyre on November 17, 1979, at St. Mary's Church in Brownsville; since exchanging their vows, the couple have enjoyed a fulfilling relationship that has been richly blessed with six beloved children, Natalie, Jesse, Philip, August, Joseph, and Audrey

9 Lovegren; and

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10 WHEREAS, While raising their family, both Mr. and Mrs.
11 Lovegren have encouraged and supported their children in a host of
12 activities, including serving as leaders in area Cub Scout and Boy
13 Scout troops; and

WHEREAS, Further, the couple contribute to the economic and environmental vitality of their community and the Rio Grande Valley through their ownership of a nursery featuring native plants and trees; the thriving South Texas birding tourism industry depends on healthy, native vegetation, much of which has been destroyed over the past century, and the Lovegrens are aiding in the restoration of that important resource; and

WHEREAS, For 25 years, Mr. and Mrs. Lovegren have shared the myriad joys and challenges of marriage and parenthood, and it is a pleasure to join in honoring them on this milestone in their life together; now, therefore, be it

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- 1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 2 Legislature hereby congratulate James and Suzanne Lovegren on their
- 3 25th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
- 4 continued happiness; and, be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Lovegren as an expression of high regard
- 7 by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2261 was adopted by the House on May 30, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House