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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Laura Lynn Lewis of Lubbock has distinguished
herself as a talented and accomplished artist; and

3 WHEREAS, Ms. Lewis attended The University of Texas at Austin 4 and also studied with Glenna Goodacre; initially interested in 5 printmaking, she later turned to portraiture in pastel and oil, and 6 more recently, to landscapes, with the expansive high plains of 7 West Texas serving as her inspiration; and

8 WHEREAS, Her work has been shown at a number of galleries, 9 competitions, and art festivals in Texas and New Mexico; recently 10 selected for solo exhibitions at the Ediblemetal Gallery and the 11 Louise Hopkins Underwood Center for the Arts, Ms. Lewis was the 12 recipient of the Best of Oil honors at the Red River Valley National 13 Juried Competition in 2004 and Juror's Awards at the Lubbock Spring 14 Arts Festival in 1997 and 2003; and

15 WHEREAS, Through the beauty and power of her work, Ms. Lewis 16 pays tribute to the land and the people of West Texas, and her 17 contributions to the rich cultural tapestry of the Lone Star State 18 indeed merit recognition; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the 80th Legislature of the State of Texas 20 hereby congratulate Laura Lynn Lewis on her achievements as an 21 artist and extend to her best wishes for continued success; and, be 22 it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Ms. Lewis as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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1 House of Representatives and Senate.