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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, In December 2006, Brenda Marie Silva stepped down
2 from her position as the county and district clerk for Presidio
3 County, bringing a close to eight productive years in office; and

4 WHEREAS, Beginning her public service career in 1995, Ms.
5 Silva worked as a part-time employee in the Presidio County
6 treasurer's office and county clerk's office before accepting a
7 position with the Presidio County Appraisal District the following
8 year; and

9 WHEREAS, She began her first term as county and district
10 clerk in January 1999 after being elected by the Presidio County
11 voters; during her time in office, she has capably overseen the
12 county's records and completed her many other administrative
13 duties, as well as overseeing the county's elections; and

14 WHEREAS, A longtime West Texas resident, Ms. Silva is a
15 graduate of Marfa High School and attended college at Sul Ross State
16 University; and

17 WHEREAS, In August 1999, she wed Joel Bentley, and they are
18 now the proud parents of a daughter, Bryanna, and a son, Andru;
19 having decided to focus her energies on her family, Marie Silva has
20 concluded her service as the county and district clerk, but she may
21 take justifiable pride in her years as an elected official and her
22 dedicated efforts to assist the citizens of Presidio County; now,
23 therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby honor Brenda Marie Silva for her distinguished
2 service as the county and district clerk for Presidio County and
3 extend to her best wishes for success in her future endeavors; and,
4 be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for Ms. Silva as an expression of high regard from the
7 Texas House of Representatives.