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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Since 1996, Promise Helpers, Inc., has brought
- 2 together like-minded women who have made significant contributions
- 3 to the betterment of their communities; and
- 4 WHEREAS, A nondenominational Christian group, Promise
- 5 Helpers provides opportunities for female fellowship and
- 6 encouragement while breaking down barriers of age, race, and
- 7 socioeconomic status; and
- 8 WHEREAS, The association was established in 1996 by 10
- 9 faithful women in Clyde; the ministry grew rapidly, and when
- 10 founder Glenda Garrison moved to Weatherford in 1997, she brought
- 11 the group's ideals with her and created a new branch in Parker
- 12 County; and
- WHEREAS, Among its many accomplishments, Promise Helpers has
- 14 provided Christmas gifts for families headed by single mothers,
- 15 given scholarships to worthy high school students, and developed a
- 16 food assistance program for area residents in need; the efforts of
- 17 this notable organization led to the receipt of an Ameri-Corps
- 18 Vista Grant, with six volunteers receiving living stipends to help
- 19 the group fight poverty; and
- 20 WHEREAS, For the past decade, the women of Promise Helpers
- 21 have strengthened their spiritual commitment while helping
- 22 countless Texans, and the continued existence of this notable
- organization reflects the ongoing dedication of its members; now,
- 24 therefore, be it

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- 1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
- 2 Legislature hereby congratulate all those associated with Promise
- 3 Helpers, Inc., on the 10th anniversary of the founding of their
- 4 organization and extend to them best wishes for the future; and, be
- 5 it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 7 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the
- 8 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 164 was adopted by the House on February 19, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House