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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Texas and New Mexico chapters of
2 Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., are meeting on February 9-12,
3 2007, in Austin for their annual Statewide Founders Day Weekend and
4 to celebrate the 94th anniversary of this national organization;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority traces its origins to
7 1913, when 22 women attending Howard University came together to
8 form a public service organization that would provide assistance
9 and support to those in need; and

10 WHEREAS, Today, the mission of the founding members lives on;
11 with more than 900 chapters and 200,000 members internationally,
12 Delta Sigma Theta Sorority plays a vital role in improving the
13 welfare of people the world over; and

14 WHEREAS, Working to benefit the lives of those less
15 fortunate, members of this dynamic organization strive to promote
16 educational and economic development, physical and mental health,
17 and political and international awareness and involvement, both in
18 their local communities and on a global scale; and

19 WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority stands at the forefront
20 of Texas' community service organizations, and it is a great
21 pleasure to recognize this outstanding group for its exceptional
22 work in behalf of others; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the members of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority,
24 Inc., be congratulated on the 94th anniversary of their

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1 organization and that the members of the Texas and New Mexico
2 chapters be extended best wishes for their Statewide Founders Day
3 Weekend observance.