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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Memories of a life filled with joyful times, loving  
2 moments, and meaningful accomplishments remain to comfort the  
3 family and friends of Thelma Elaine Chandler Waxman, who died  
4 peacefully, surrounded by her loving family, on February 18, 2007;  
5 and

6           WHEREAS, Mrs. Waxman was born to Rose and Abe Feingold in  
7 Chicago on April 14, 1930, and attended junior college; she raised  
8 two daughters and for many years worked at the University of Chicago  
9 and various medical offices; and

10           WHEREAS, Deeply fond of children, she also taught preschool  
11 and rarely passed a child without smiling and engaging in  
12 conversation; after moving to Austin five years ago, she helped  
13 care for her two granddaughters and was a nanny for her "adopted"  
14 grandson; and

15           WHEREAS, Books, plays, movies, television, and good food were  
16 among the other things that Mrs. Waxman thoroughly enjoyed; she was  
17 passionate about the game of mah jong, which she played for more  
18 than 50 years, and passed the love of the game on to her daughters  
19 and close friends; and

20           WHEREAS, Thelma Waxman's kind words, warm touch, and  
21 wonderful sense of humor will be greatly missed, and she will  
22 forever be remembered by those who carry her close in their hearts;  
23 now, therefore, be it

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

1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Thelma Elaine  
2 Chandler Waxman and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her  
3 family: to her daughters, Robin Chandler and Michele Chandler; to  
4 her son-in-law, Michael Leseten; to her granddaughters, Alena and  
5 Maya Leseten; to her stepchildren, Janet Rhines, Andi Steinberg,  
6 Wendy Waxman, and Marty Waxman; to her step-grandchildren, Josh,  
7 Alex, and Marissa; and to her other relatives and many friends; and,  
8 be it further

9         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
10 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
11 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Thelma  
12 Elaine Chandler Waxman.