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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, March 25, 2007, is truly a special day for Terry and  
2 Jenni Franks of Austin, for on that date they are celebrating their  
3 first wedding anniversary; and

4 WHEREAS, Terry Franks and the former Jenni Sellers met in  
5 Washington, D.C., at the 2001 Inaugural Ball for President George  
6 W. Bush while both worked for the Texas Legislature; Ms. Sellers  
7 returned to her hometown of Houston at the end of the 77th Session,  
8 while Mr. Franks continued his employment with the Texas Senate;  
9 and

10 WHEREAS, More than four years later, the two were reunited  
11 when the threat of Hurricane Rita led Ms. Sellers to evacuate to  
12 Austin; Mr. Franks proposed marriage on the evening of September  
13 24, 2005, at Lake Travis, and the couple were married the following  
14 spring; and

15 WHEREAS, Today, Mr. Franks serves as deputy chief of staff  
16 for Senator Dan Patrick, while Mrs. Franks is legislative director  
17 in the office of Representative Dan Flynn; avid Longhorn fans, the  
18 pair enjoy helping organize Capitol UT tailgate parties and  
19 entertaining friends and family; Mrs. Franks counts cooking,  
20 sewing, gardening, and reading among her favorite hobbies, while  
21 Mr. Franks is an outdoors and sports enthusiast who finds pleasure  
22 in league softball, golf, and hunting; they both take delight in  
23 their beloved dog, Annie Bear; and

24 WHEREAS, Over the past year, Jenni and Terry Franks have

1 brightened each others' lives with laughter, kindness, and mutual  
2 devotion, and the strength of their love and commitment ensures  
3 that many more joyful times await them; now, therefore, be it

4         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
5 Legislature hereby honor Terry and Jenni Franks on the occasion of  
6 their first wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best  
7 wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

8         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
10 House of Representatives.