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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, For half a century, Houston families have come 2 together to worship at Kashmere Gardens Church of Christ, and the 3 members of this enduring institution are commemorating the 50th

anniversary of its founding on March 25, 2007; and

5 WHEREAS, Currently under the leadership of interim minister 6 Maurice Davis, the church plays an important role in the lives of 7 all who worship there and is a welcome source of aid and 8 encouragement for many in the community; and

WHEREAS, The congregation supports a number of worthwhile programs including a food pantry, Family Night, and ministries focusing on benevolence, singles, and youth, to name but a few; in addition, the church has worked to benefit Huntsville Prison Ministry, Southwestern Christian College, and the Interfaith CarePartners' Care Team Ministry; and

WHEREAS, Kashmere Gardens has established itself as a vital part of Houston's historic Fifth Ward neighborhood during the past five decades, and its continued existence stands as a tribute to the commitment and faith of its leaders and members, both past and present; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
21 Legislature hereby commemorate the 50th anniversary of the founding
22 of Kashmere Gardens Church of Christ and extend to the congregation
23 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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- 1 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 2 House of Representatives.