## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, A 100th birthday is truly cause for celebration, and Rene Bordet of Conroe marked this memorable occasion in his life on March 2, 2007; and

WHEREAS, The son of French immigrants Alphonse and Blanche Bordet, Mr. Bordet was born in 1907 in San Francisco; he attended the University of California and worked as a bookkeeper for his family's laundry business; and

WHEREAS, A widower and veteran who served in the U.S. Army during World War II, he is a deeply religious man who had the satisfaction of meeting the Pope in 1958, and over the years he has had personal visits with several cardinals of the Roman Catholic Church during trips to Rome; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bordet also developed friendships with several movie stars from the Golden Age of film, including Gregory Peck, Gloria Swanson, and Ronald and Nancy Reagan; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bordet moved to Montgomery County at the age of 97 to be closer to family and friends in the area; he spends his days reading historical novels, writing letters, and enjoying the fellowship of his neighbors at the Friendship Center; and

WHEREAS, At the age of $100, \mathrm{Mr}$. Bordet continues to enrich the lives of his loved ones, and it is a pleasure to join them in honoring his long and rewarding life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Rene Bordet on his 100th birthday

1 and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, 2 be it further prepared for Mr. Bordet as an expression of high regard by the Texas 5 House of Representatives.

Creighton

## Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 880 was adopted by the House on April 5, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

