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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Houston Area Coalition of Omega
2 Chapters are hosting the 70th Annual Ninth District meeting of
3 Omega Psi Phi Fraternity on April 5-8, 2007; and

4 WHEREAS, Warren Lee, the organization's Grand Basileus, and
5 Todd Clemons, Ninth District Representative, are among the
6 participants, as are Supreme Council members and Ninth District
7 officers; they are being joined by fraternity brothers and their
8 families from throughout the Lone Star State as well as Arkansas,
9 Louisiana, and Oklahoma; and

10 WHEREAS, Founded in 1911 at Howard University, Omega Psi Phi
11 Fraternity is one of nine predominately African American
12 Greek-letter organizations; it was established on the ideals of
13 manhood, scholarship, perseverance, and uplift, and now boasts a
14 membership roll in excess of 150,000 who focus on service and
15 commitment to others through civic, cultural, and charitable
16 endeavors; and

17 WHEREAS, For nearly a century, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity has
18 played an important role in the lives of its members and the
19 communities in which they live, and it is indeed appropriate to
20 honor this worthy organization and recognize the many achievements
21 of its members; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
23 Legislature hereby congratulate the members of Omega Psi Phi
24 Fraternity on the organization's 96th anniversary and extend to the

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1 participants of the 70th Annual Ninth District meeting sincere best
2 wishes for a memorable and meaningful event; and, be it further

3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
4 prepared for Omega Psi Phi Fraternity as an expression of high
5 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.