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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Our Lady Star of the Sea Church in Houston is hosting
its annual bazaar June 9 and June 10, 2007; and

3 WHEREAS, This lively community gathering features live 4 zydeco music, disc jockeys, a dance contest, a western-wear dress 5 contest, and lots of good food; drawing together friends and 6 neighbors, the bazaar provides two days of enjoyable entertainment 7 that helps support this historic parish; and

8 WHEREAS, Founded in 1949 to serve African American Catholic 9 families who had moved to east Houston from Louisiana, Our Lady Star 10 of the Sea Church has been a vital force in the Houston area for more 11 than five decades; and

12 WHEREAS, Today, the church serves a membership of 350 13 families; they are ably guided by Father Louis R. Saporito, who 14 oversees the many organizations and services that meet the needs of 15 parishioners; and

16 WHEREAS, The annual bazaar is a popular social occasion for 17 the residents of Houston and a source of unity and pride for the 18 members of Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, and this worthwhile 19 event is indeed deserving of recognition; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas 21 Legislature hereby commemorate the annual bazaar at Our Lady Star 22 of the Sea Church and extend best wishes to the organizers and 23 attendees for a successful and enjoyable event; 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.