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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of love
2 and shared experiences, and Roger and Barbara Jones of Hewitt
3 celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on January 26,
4 2007; and

5 WHEREAS, Roger Wayne Jones and the former Barbara Ann
6 Rutledge were joined in matrimony in 1957 in a ceremony held at
7 Beverly Hills Baptist Church in Waco; through the years, they have
8 been blessed with a treasured family that includes six children and
9 their spouses, Terry Jones, Robbie Jones and his wife, Rhonda,
10 Randy Jones and his wife, Melanie, Donnie Jones and his wife, Susan,
11 Debra Tumlin and her husband, Tim, and Kathryn Meyer and her
12 husband, James, and nine adored grandchildren, Lauren Jones, Morgan
13 Jones, Tracey Jones, Kristen Jones, Nicholas Jones, Alexander
14 Jones, Josey Meyer, Kasidy Meyer, and Wylie Tumlin; and

15 WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Mr. and Mrs.
16 Jones have owned Jones Printing Company in Waco since 1961, where
17 they continue to work and also publish three local newspapers, the
18 *Hometown News*, the *Riesel Rustler*, and the *Waco Farm & Labor*
19 *Journal*; in addition to meeting their career and family
20 responsibilities, they are valued members of First Baptist Church
21 of Woodway; and

22 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Jones have enjoyed five decades of
23 abiding love and affection for one another, and they are among an
24 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting

1 commitment; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
3 Legislature hereby congratulate Roger and Barbara Jones on their
4 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes
5 for continued happiness; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Jones as an expression of high regard by
8 the Texas House of Representatives.