

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of the Cottonwood Baptist Church are
2 dedicating the Ruth Hellums Homecoming Pavilion on June 10, 2007,
3 during the church's 71st annual homecoming festivities, and this
4 event provides an ideal opportunity to recognize Mrs. Hellums for
5 her outstanding service to her congregation and community; and

6 WHEREAS, A native of Cottonwood, the former Ruth Lasater was
7 born in 1913 and has been an active member of her church throughout
8 her life; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Hellums is a retired teacher who taught in
10 Cottonwood and the Scurry-Rosser school district; she married
11 William Hellums in Kaufman, and she has been blessed with two
12 children and six grandchildren; and

13 WHEREAS, Ruth Hellums is a joy and inspiration to all who are
14 privileged to know her, and she truly merits special commendation
15 for her years of meaningful service to others; now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
17 Legislature hereby congratulate Ruth Hellums on the dedication of
18 the Ruth Hellums Homecoming Pavilion at the Cottonwood Baptist
19 Church and honor her for her contributions to her church and her
20 community; and, be it further

21 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
22 prepared for Mrs. Hellums as an expression of high regard by the
23 Texas House of Representatives.

Brown of Kaufman

H.R. No. 2694

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2694 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House