

1 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Texas is pleased to  
3 recognize the Lubbock Independent School District on the occasion  
4 of its 100th anniversary; and

5 WHEREAS, A thriving city of more than 200,000 people, Lubbock  
6 is known as the "Hub City," as it is the center for the region's  
7 economy, transportation, and health care, and the Lubbock  
8 Independent School District has served as the "Hub of Education" on  
9 the South Plains since it was officially established in April of  
10 1907; and

11 WHEREAS, Formal education began in Lubbock County as early as  
12 1891, when Miss Minnie Tubbs started a school in the unfinished  
13 county jail; the county's early settlers considered education so  
14 important that they petitioned the Texas Legislature for the  
15 creation of an independent school district two years before the  
16 incorporation of the town; and

17 WHEREAS, A special act of the 30th Texas Legislature was  
18 passed on April 4, 1907, incorporating Lubbock Independent School  
19 District; and

20 WHEREAS, Over the years, the Lubbock Independent School  
21 District has radically changed from a one-room county school to  
22 that of a modern educational district with four early childhood  
23 centers, 37 elementary schools, 10 middle schools, and four high  
24 schools with many auxiliary campuses, and the district is truly a

1 tremendous asset and a source of much pride to the citizens of  
2 Lubbock; now, therefore, be it

3         RESOLVED, That the 80th Legislature of the State of Texas  
4 hereby commend the students, faculty, administration, and staff of  
5 the Lubbock Independent School District, past and present, for 100  
6 years of educational excellence; and, be it further

7         RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be prepared for the  
8 district as an expression of high regard from the Texas  
9 Legislature.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 51 was adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2007.

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Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 51 was adopted by the House on May 4, 2007.

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Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

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Date

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Governor