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H.C.R. No. 155

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, An inspiring couple whose lives have been enhanced
2 by a great and enduring love, Duane and Martha Glover of Deport are
3 celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary on April 8, 2009; and

4 WHEREAS, Duane Glover and the former Martha Kelsey were
5 united in matrimony in Deport on that special day in 1949; through
6 the years, they have nurtured a fulfilling marriage that has been
7 made even richer with the addition of three children, Marilyn,
8 Betsy, and David, two grandchildren, Ty and Peyton, and a
9 great-granddaughter, Tatum; and

10 WHEREAS, For many years, Mr. Glover owned and operated a
11 Deport pharmacy that he bought from his father and sold to his
12 daughter, Marilyn, when he retired; in addition to running his
13 family business, Mr. Glover was a member of the Deport City Council
14 and the local school board, served for many years as the chief of
15 the Deport Volunteer Fire Department, and was a member of the board
16 of directors for McCuistion Regional Medical Center in Paris,
17 Texas; since retiring, he has had additional time for his hobby of
18 gardening and for visiting with his loved ones; and

19 WHEREAS, Mrs. Glover, who holds a degree in business, devoted
20 her attention to her family when the children were young; she served
21 on the Parent-Teacher Organization of Deport School and later
22 worked in family businesses; she has played organ for the First
23 United Methodist Church of Deport since the age of 12 and is a
24 member of the Daughters of the American Revolution; and

1 WHEREAS, While much has changed in the world over the past six
2 decades, this devoted husband and wife have remained constant in
3 their commitment to one another, and the strength of their love has
4 enabled them to meet life's challenges with grace and optimism;
5 now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the 81st Texas Legislature hereby
7 congratulate Duane and Martha Glover on the occasion of their 60th
8 wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
9 continued happiness; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Glover as an expression of high regard by
12 the Texas House of Representatives and Senate.