

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Church of the Hills in Austin has served as a source
2 of spiritual support for many members of the 81st Texas
3 Legislature; and

4 WHEREAS, Throughout the session, church representatives have
5 made weekly visits to the Capitol to offer prayers and
6 encouragement for legislators; and

7 WHEREAS, Founded by 13 families in 1985, Church of the Hills
8 has been led by Charles and Marquita Patterson since the beginning;
9 the couple also travel the globe, ministering to people in Africa,
10 Asia, Europe, and Latin America; and

11 WHEREAS, Church of the Hills also works to help develop other
12 churches and was instrumental in the organization of two local
13 churches, as well as one in Latvia; and

14 WHEREAS, Guided by the core values of honor, intimacy, and
15 integrity, this respected house of worship has contributed greatly
16 to the 81st Legislative Session, and it is indeed deserving of
17 special recognition; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the 81st Legislature of the State of Texas
19 hereby honor Church of the Hills for its spiritual support and
20 extend to all those associated with the church sincere best wishes
21 for the future; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
23 prepared for Church of the Hills as an expression of high regard by
24 the Texas House of Representatives and Senate.

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 221 was adopted by the House on May 14, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 221 was adopted by the Senate on May 18, 2009, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor