

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The 80th birthday of an esteemed Texan is indeed
2 cause for celebration, and Joel Davis Sugg, Jr., of Katy is marking
3 that special milestone in his life on March 3, 2009; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Wellington in 1929 to Mary Bess Satterwhite
5 Sugg and Joel Davis Sugg, Sr., Mr. Sugg is the grandson of Robert
6 Lee Satterwhite, who served seven terms in the Texas House of
7 Representatives, including one session as speaker; and

8 WHEREAS, After graduating from Rice University in 1950, Mr.
9 Sugg received his commission as a second lieutenant in the U.S.
10 Marine Corps; he served in the Korean War as an artillery officer,
11 then returned to Texas to train as a Marine aviator; and

12 WHEREAS, While in flight school in Corpus Christi, Mr. Sugg
13 met the love of his life, the former Stasia Olstowski, and they were
14 married in 1954 at El Toro Marine Corps Air Station in California;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Sugg remained on active duty with the Marines
17 until 1955, and then continued to serve in the Marine Corps Reserve
18 until 1962, when he retired at the rank of major; during the course
19 of his military career, he received the Distinguished Flying Cross,
20 eight Air Medals, a Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service
21 Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal; and

22 WHEREAS, In 1970 Mr. Sugg founded the faith-based Country
23 School in Katy, which he continued to run for 20 years; he also
24 founded a small business, Schoolmaster Family Enterprises, to

1 support the school's activities; and

2 WHEREAS, Throughout his life, Mr. Sugg has been a devoted
3 husband to his wife of nearly 55 years and a mentor and inspiration
4 to his seven children, nine grandchildren, and three
5 great-grandchildren, and it is indeed a pleasure to commend him on
6 this special occasion; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate Joel Davis Sugg, Jr., on his 80th
9 birthday and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued
10 happiness; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for Mr. Sugg as an expression of high regard by the Texas
13 House of Representatives.

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Straus	Gattis	Menendez
Allen	Geren	Merritt
Alonzo	Giddings	Miklos
Alvarado	Gonzales	Miller of Comal
Anchia	Gonzalez Toureilles	Miller of Erath
Anderson	Guillen	Moody
Aycock	Gutierrez	Morrison
Berman	Hamilton	Naishtat
Bohac	Hancock	Oliveira
Bolton	Hardcastle	Olivo
Bonnen	Harless	Orr
Branch	Harper-Brown	Ortiz, Jr.
Brown of Kaufman	Hartnett	Otto
Brown of Brazos	Heflin	Parker
Burnam	Hernandez	Patrick
Button	Herrero	Paxton
Callegari	Hilderbran	Pena
Castro	Hochberg	Phillips
Chavez	Hodge	Pickett
Chisum	Homer	Pierson
Christian	Hopson	Pitts
Cohen	Howard of Fort Bend	Quintanilla
Coleman	Howard of Travis	Raymond
Cook	Hughes	Riddle
Corte	Hunter	Rios Ybarra
Crabb	Isett	Ritter
Craddick	Jackson	Rodriguez
Creighton	Jones	Rose
Crownover	Keffer	Sheffield
Darby	Kent	Shelton
Davis of Harris	King of Parker	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Taylor	Smith of Harris
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Smithee
Driver	Kleinschmidt	Solomons
Dukes	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Laubenberg	Taylor
Edwards	Legler	Thibaut
Eiland	Leibowitz	Thompson
Eissler	Lewis	Truitt
Elkins	Lucio III	Turner of Tarrant
England	Madden	Turner of Harris
Farabee	Maldonado	Vaught
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Marquez	Villarreal
Fletcher	Martinez	Vo
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Walle
Flynn	McCall	Weber
Frost	McClendon	Woolley
Gallego	McReynolds	Zerwas

H.R. No. 542

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 542 was adopted by the House on
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Chief Clerk of the House