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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The Knights of Peter Claver and the members of its
- 2 ladies auxiliary, Council and Court No. 72, are hosting their
- 3 annual scholarship luncheon and fashion gala in Houston on March 7,
- 4 2009; and
- 5 WHEREAS, This highly anticipated event provides an
- 6 opportunity each year to recognize the contributions of this
- 7 notable group, which has long assisted the economically
- 8 disadvantaged, the sick, and the disabled, while succeeding in its
- 9 goals to encourage and support higher education and to train and
- 10 develop civic leaders; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Attendees participating in the 2009 event are also
- 12 honoring deserving "Pioneers in the Community," men and women who
- 13 embody the ideals of the organization and who serve as role models
- 14 for youths and leaders of their communities; this year's honorees
- 15 include John Andress, Dr. Ann C. Smith Barnes, Joseph Cormier,
- 16 Anthony Earnest Boggess Glover, Stephanie Trouiller Johnson, Harry
- 17 Jolivette, the Honorable Jolanda Jones, Barbara Mouton Murray, Alma
- 18 Omowaleuthbli, Mary Ida Reed, Chaire D. Shynett, and Jearldine
- 19 Woodard; and
- 20 WHEREAS, The Knights of Peter Claver and the members of its
- 21 ladies auxiliary are to be commended for their devotion to helping
- 22 their fellow Texans, as are their esteemed guests of honor, who have
- 23 truly distinguished themselves as exceptional citizens; now,
- 24 therefore, be it

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- 1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 2 Legislature hereby commemorate the 2009 annual scholarship
- 3 luncheon and fashion gala and congratulate the Knights of Peter
- 4 Claver and its ladies auxiliary, Council and Court No. 72, as well
- 5 as the "Pioneers in the Community," for their remarkable
- 6 achievements; and, be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the
- 9 Texas House of Representatives.