

By: Legler

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Charles Maricle and Kim Kankel were named King and
2 Queen of the Pasadena Philharmonic Mardi Gras Ball on February 14,
3 2009; and

4 WHEREAS, The major fund-raiser for the Pasadena Philharmonic
5 Society Orchestra, the annual Mardi Gras Ball helps this local
6 treasure to produce five concerts each year, under the direction of
7 Frank "Bud" Woodruff; the event features a social hour, raffle,
8 dinner, and dance contest, and culminates with the crowning of a
9 king and queen; and

10 WHEREAS, The 2009 Mardi Gras Ball king, Charles Maricle, is
11 currently serving his country as a member of the Coast Guard, but
12 his stepfather, Joseph Anzalone, and son, Charles Maricle, Jr.,
13 were on hand to accept his crown; the 2009 Mardi Gras Ball queen,
14 Kim Kankel, looks forward to fulfilling her duties at community
15 events throughout the year; and

16 WHEREAS, This outstanding Pasadena tradition provided fun
17 and excitement for all those in attendance while raising money for a
18 worthwhile cause, and it is a pleasure to recognize the
19 Philharmonic and its new royalty; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
21 Legislature hereby congratulate the Pasadena Philharmonic on a
22 successful 2009 fund-raiser and honor Charles Maricle and Kim
23 Kankel on earning the titles of King and Queen of the Mardi Gras
24 Ball; and, be it further

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1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for Mr. Maricle and Ms. Kankel as an expression of high
3 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.