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H.R. No. 919

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Residents of Williamson County lost an admired
2 public servant and a cherished friend with the passing of Jane Ellen
3 Tableriou on January 6, 2009, at the age of 64; and

4 WHEREAS, Jane Tableriou was born in Chicago on January 3,
5 1945; she went on to marry Nick Tableriou on June 10, 1967, and the
6 couple were blessed with two children, Nicole and Brett; in 1985,
7 Mrs. Tableriou and her family relocated to the Lone Star State; and

8 WHEREAS, After settling in a new home in Georgetown, Mrs.
9 Tableriou soon began a distinguished tenure with Williamson County
10 that would span more than two decades; as the executive assistant to
11 the county judge, she first worked with the Honorable Don Wilson and
12 later with the Honorable John Doerfler; the anchor of the county
13 judge's office, Mrs. Tableriou earned the affectionate title,
14 "Judge Jane," and because she possessed an institutional knowledge
15 of Williamson County that few others could match, she was also
16 sometimes referred to as its highest-ranking, nonelected official;
17 she built a strong partnership with Judge Doerfler, which lasted
18 from 1990 through 2006, when they both retired; and

19 WHEREAS, Committed to her colleagues, Mrs. Tableriou
20 remained a valuable asset to Williamson County after her
21 retirement; she helped plan the grand reopening celebration of the
22 county's historic courthouse, and she assisted employees of the
23 Williamson County Regional Animal Shelter, educating them on county
24 business and organizing their office; when she was not serving

1 others, she enjoyed making scrapbooks, going on cruises, and
2 spending time in the company of her beloved family; and

3 WHEREAS, Jane Tableriou enhanced the lives of her fellow
4 citizens in myriad ways, and memories of her will long be treasured
5 by all those who were fortunate enough to know her; now, therefore,
6 be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
8 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Jane Ellen Tableriou
9 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
10 husband of 41 years, Nick Tableriou; to her children, Nicole and
11 Brett Tableriou; to her sister, Charlotte Buttin; to her niece,
12 Melissa Pinkerton; to her nephew, Rick Buttin; and to her other
13 relatives and many friends; and, be it further

14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
15 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
16 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jane Ellen
17 Tableriou.