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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A 60th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of love 2 and shared experiences, and Bob and Betty Thrasher of Temple 3 celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on February 6, 4 2009; and

5 WHEREAS, Robert M. Thrasher, Sr., and the former Betty Ann 6 Tapman were joined in matrimony on that special day in 1949, at 7 First Baptist Church in Rosebud; through the years, they have been 8 blessed with a treasured family that includes two sons, Robert M. 9 Thrasher, Jr., and his wife Tammi, and Dr. Michael Tapman Thrasher 10 and his wife, Patti Jean, as well as two grandchildren and two 11 great-grandchildren; and

12 WHEREAS, A veteran of World War II, Mr. Thrasher enjoyed a 13 long and rewarding career in automobile sales and owned and 14 operated his own dealership in Gatesville for a time; Mrs. Thrasher 15 worked as an area manager in the cosmetics industry for 35 years and 16 opened specialty boutiques in Gatesville and Temple; she and Mr. 17 Thrasher are now both retired; and

18 WHEREAS, This devoted couple have enjoyed six decades of 19 abiding love and affection for one another, and they are among an 20 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting 21 commitment; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas 23 Legislature hereby congratulate Bob and Betty Thrasher on the 24 occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary and extend to them

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sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Thrasher as an expression of high regard
by the Texas House of Representatives.