By: Lewis H.R. No. 1121

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Sony Roethemeyer has been inducted into the Odessa
- 2 Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame, and this occasion provides a
- 3 fitting opportunity to honor this esteemed citizen; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Having previously served as the first female officer
- 5 of the bank holding company Pan National Group in El Paso, Mrs.
- 6 Roethemeyer went on to become the owner and operator of Ace
- 7 Specialties, Incorporated, in 1986; Ace Specialties, a pipeline,
- 8 plant, and industrial supply company, was established in 1963 by
- 9 Mrs. Roethemeyer's husband, the late H. H. "Herman" Roethemeyer;
- 10 and
- 11 WHEREAS, Through the years, Mrs. Roethemeyer has been active
- 12 in various organizations, including the Texas Women's Alliance and
- 13 the Spencer Theater Guild, and she served on the board of directors
- 14 of the Odessa Family YMCA; she is also a former president of the
- 15 local Republican women's group, and she was the first female
- 16 president of the Ruidoso Jockey Club; and
- WHEREAS, In all of her endeavors, Mrs. Roethemeyer enjoys the
- 18 love and support of her family, which has grown to include two
- 19 children, Leanne and Mark, a daughter-in-law, Nancy, and two
- 20 grandchildren, Parker and Mamie; and
- 21 WHEREAS, Dedicated to her community and her profession, Sony
- 22 Roethemeyer has garnered the lasting respect and admiration of her
- 23 fellow residents, and she may indeed reflect with great pride on her
- 24 civic contributions; now, therefore, be it

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- 1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 2 Legislature hereby congratulate Sony Roethemeyer on her 2009
- 3 induction into the Odessa Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame and
- 4 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success and
- 5 happiness; and, be it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 7 prepared for Mrs. Roethemeyer as an expression of high regard by the
- 8 Texas House of Representatives.