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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A 60th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of love  
2 and shared experiences, and Melton and Julie Connell of Woodway  
3 celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on August 14,  
4 2007; and

5           WHEREAS, Melton O. Connell and the former Julie Halencak were  
6 joined in matrimony at First Baptist Church in Quanah on that  
7 special day in 1947; through the years, they have been blessed with  
8 a treasured family that includes a son, Michael Connell and his  
9 wife, Cindy, and their grandchildren, Cari Edison and her husband,  
10 Ricky, Cayce Connell, and Chance Connell; and

11           WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Mr. Connell  
12 is retired from the Waco Weather Bureau as a meteorologist and  
13 Mrs. Connell worked as a physician's office nurse until her  
14 retirement; in addition to meeting their career and family  
15 responsibilities, they have been members of First Baptist Church of  
16 Woodway since 1958, and Mrs. Connell has taught Sunday school for  
17 most of those years; and

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

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Melton and Julie Connell on the  
24 noteworthy milestone of their 60th wedding anniversary and extend

1 to them sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it  
2 further

3           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Connell as an expression of high regard  
5 by the Texas House of Representatives.