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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, An inspiring couple whose lives have been enhanced  
2 by a great and enduring love, Pernell and Audrey Peterson  
3 celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on August 18, 2007; and

4 WHEREAS, Pernell J. Peterson and the former Audrey Thompson  
5 were united in matrimony at First Lutheran Church in Waco on that  
6 special day in 1942; through the years, they have nurtured a  
7 fulfilling marriage that has been made even richer with the  
8 addition of their children, Patricia McElfish and her husband,  
9 John, Carol Blasche and her husband, Donald, and Thomas Eric  
10 Peterson, as well as six grandchildren, Donna, Michael, Erik,  
11 Nathan, Jason, and Gavin, and two great-granddaughters, Kaitlyn and  
12 Ashley; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Peterson is retired from Waco Printing Company  
14 and Mrs. Peterson is retired from the Texas State Commission for the  
15 Blind; the couple are members of Saint Matthew Lutheran Church; and

16 WHEREAS, While much has changed in the world over the course  
17 of their marriage, this devoted husband and wife have remained  
18 constant in their commitment to one another, and the strength of  
19 their love has enabled them to meet life's challenges and  
20 opportunities with grace and optimism; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Pernell and Audrey Peterson on the  
23 notable milestone of their 65th wedding anniversary and extend to  
24 them sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it

1 further

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