

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Mary Hoover has played a vital role in her community  
2 through her service with the YWCA El Paso del Norte Region; and

3           WHEREAS, The El Paso YWCA provides services to empower and  
4 enrich the lives of women and girls in the El Paso region, and it is  
5 celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2009; and

6           WHEREAS, Mary Hoover's relationship with the El Paso YWCA  
7 dates back to her childhood, when she learned gymnastics and tap  
8 dance at the YWCA building on Franklin Street as an eight-year-old  
9 girl; thanks to her early athletic training, she has remained  
10 active throughout her life, as a skilled tennis player and golfer;  
11 and

12           WHEREAS, In 1969, Ms. Hoover joined the YWCA's board of  
13 directors, playing an instrumental role in adapting the institution  
14 to handle the requirements of providing day care to its members; as  
15 the board's treasurer, she also played a role in managing the  
16 federal money that became available to support child care at that  
17 time; and

18           WHEREAS, Dedicated volunteers play an important role in  
19 communities across the Lone Star State, and for many years, Mary  
20 Hoover has served as an inspiring leader and role model in El Paso  
21 through her work with this noteworthy organization; now, therefore,  
22 be it

23           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
24 Legislature hereby commend Mary Hoover for her record of service

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1 with the El Paso YWCA and extend to her sincere best wishes for  
2 continued happiness; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2374 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House