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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, Joe and Ora Williams of Midland
3 celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary on April 20, 2009; and

4 WHEREAS, Joe L. Williams and the former Ora Lee Johnson were
5 united in matrimony in Midland in 1953; through the years, they have
6 nurtured a fulfilling marriage that has been made even richer with
7 the addition of four children, Robert, Joe, Janice, and Loree, as
8 well as seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Williams worked at a chemical company for 26
10 years before establishing his own trucking business in 1983; he
11 retired in 2002, and today he is a member of Tall City Lions Club and
12 a deacon at Mount Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, where the
13 couple are both members; Mrs. Williams has been a dedicated
14 homemaker throughout their marriage; and

15 WHEREAS, While innumerable changes have taken place in the
16 world during the past 56 years, this devoted husband and wife have
17 remained constant in their commitment to one another, and the
18 strength of their love has enabled them to meet life's challenges
19 and opportunities with grace and optimism; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
21 Legislature hereby congratulate Joe and Ora Williams on their 56th
22 wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
23 continued happiness; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Williams as an expression of high regard
2 by the Texas House of Representatives.