

By: Hughes

H.R. No. 74

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of First Baptist Church in Hawkins are
2 celebrating the 100th anniversary of their church's founding on
3 June 11 and 12, 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, Since its organization a century ago, First Baptist
5 Church in Hawkins has benefited from the dedicated efforts of many
6 outstanding clergymen, including Dr. William H. "Bill" Holmes, who
7 leads the congregation today; and

8 WHEREAS, United by their shared faith and strong traditions,
9 the members of this notable house of worship support a variety of
10 commendable programs that offer fellowship as well as help to those
11 in need; today, the church is affiliated with the Southern Baptist
12 Convention, the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and the Smith
13 Baptist Association; and

14 WHEREAS, Countless Hawkins residents have looked to First
15 Baptist Church for spiritual enrichment and guidance through the
16 years, and it is a pleasure to join in honoring the church at this
17 special time in its rich history; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
19 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commemorate the 100th
20 anniversary of the establishment of First Baptist Church in Hawkins
21 and extend to all of its members sincere best wishes for the future;
22 and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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1 House of Representatives.