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By: Guillen

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Locally owned and operated businesses play a vital 2 role in the prosperity of the Lone Star State, and those enterprises 3 that build a record of dependability and longevity hold a special 4 place of honor in their communities; and

5 WHEREAS, A local institution, El Valle Bakery has served 6 residents of Rio Grande City since 1976; the shop was founded by 7 Adolfo Berlanga, a native of Mexico, and his wife, Maria del Carmen 8 Berlanga; this loving couple shared more than four decades of 9 marriage, and together they raised six children, Adolfo, Jose, 10 Adriana, Rafael, Carlos, and Jaime; and

11 WHEREAS, Though Mr. and Mrs. Berlanga have passed away, El 12 Valle Bakery continues to thrive through the able operation of 13 their son, Rafael; a graduate of The University of Texas-Pan 14 American, he is married to Yvonne Berlanga and is the proud father 15 of two daughters, Maya and Paloma; he joined the family business in 16 2008; and

WHEREAS, During the past 35 years, El Valle Bakery has gained a loyal following, and members of the Berlanga family may take pride in the vital role they continue to play in the life of Rio Grande City and Starr County; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas 22 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby honor El Valle Bakery and 23 its founders, Adolfo Berlanga and Maria del Carmen Berlanga, and 24 extend to Rafael Berlanga sincere best wishes for continued

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success; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for the Berlanga family as an expression of high regard by

4 the Texas House of Representatives.