By: McClendon H.R. No. 520

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The citizens of San Antonio lost one of their most

2 admired community leaders with the death of Florence Alcoser on

3 April 21, 2010, at the age of 70; and

4 WHEREAS, Florence Alcoser was born on the city's south side

5 on May 20, 1939, and as a child helped out at her father's

6 neighborhood grocery store; she graduated from Harlandale High

7 School in 1958 and was later joined in matrimony to Richard Alcoser;

8 over the years, the couple shared in the joy of welcoming 3 sons, 10

9 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren into their treasured

10 family; and

11 WHEREAS, A longtime resident of Alamo Heights, Mrs. Alcoser

12 owned property in Government Hill and was president of the

13 Government Hill Alliance Neighborhood Association for 10 years;

14 dedicated to conservation and historic preservation, she played an

15 instrumental role in acquiring historic district designation for

16 the Government Hill area, and she was an active member of numerous

17 civic organizations, including the San Antonio Conservation

18 Society, the steering committee for the city's Strategic Historic

19 Preservation Plan, the Fort Sam Houston Community Development

20 Advisory Board, and Keep San Antonio Beautiful; she also served on

21 the board of directors of Select Employees Federal Credit Union;

22 and

23 WHEREAS, Known for her leadership and determination as well

24 as for her fun-loving personality, Florence Alcoser gave freely of

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- 1 her time and talents to better her community, and she leaves behind
- 2 a record of accomplishments that will long resonate in the city she
- 3 loved to call home; now, therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
- 5 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Florence Alcoser and
- 6 extend heartfelt condolences to the members of her family: to her
- 7 husband, Richard Alcoser, Sr.; to her sons, Richard, Louis, and
- 8 Toby; to her siblings, Tom Calderon, Corinne Mendoza, and Linda
- 9 Santos; and to her other relatives and many friends; and, be it
- 10 further
- 11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 12 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 13 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Florence
- 14 Alcoser.