

By: Dutton

H.R. No. 1077

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Huston-Tillotson University Concert Choir is
2 performing on April 10, 2011, at Trinity United Methodist Church in
3 Houston; and

4 WHEREAS, Sponsored annually by the local chapter of the
5 Huston-Tillotson International Alumni Association, the performance
6 will showcase numerous classical and gospel pieces and promises to
7 be a moving experience for all those in attendance; and

8 WHEREAS, The history of Huston-Tillotson University dates
9 back more than a century to the founding of Tillotson College by the
10 American Missionary Association of the Congregational churches and
11 of Samuel Huston College by the United Methodist Church, both of
12 which served to educate the African American community; the two
13 schools merged in 1952, and Huston-Tillotson University has
14 continued to provide an exemplary education grounded in the liberal
15 arts and sciences, balanced with professional development, and
16 directed to public service and leadership; and

17 WHEREAS, Home to an increasingly diverse population, the
18 school awards undergraduate degrees in business, education, the
19 humanities, natural sciences, social sciences, and science and
20 technology, and it has a vibrant intercollegiate athletics program;
21 and

22 WHEREAS, Members of the Huston-Tillotson Concert Choir
23 distinguish themselves through their talent and dedication, and it
24 is indeed a pleasure to recognize the group at this time; now,

1 therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
3 Legislature hereby honor the Huston-Tillotson University Concert
4 Choir on the occasion of its annual Houston concert and extend
5 sincere best wishes to all those in attendance for an enjoyable and
6 memorable event; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for the Huston-Tillotson University Concert Choir as an
9 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.