

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Order of the Eastern Star in Boerne is
2 celebrating the 100th anniversary of its charter on October 11,
3 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, The largest fraternal organization in the world to
5 which both men and women belong, the Order of the Eastern Star is
6 composed of Masonic-affiliated individuals who are dedicated to
7 charity, truth, and loving-kindness; and

8 WHEREAS, The organization traces its origins to Dr. Rob
9 Morris, the poet laureate of Masonry, who based the Degrees of the
10 Eastern Star--Fidelity, Constancy, Loyalty, Faith, and Love--on
11 women of the Bible; today, the Order continues to practice these
12 tenets through its work with such youth groups as the International
13 Order of the Rainbow for Girls, Job's Daughters International, and
14 DeMolay for Boys, as well as through its support of religious
15 training and scholarships for higher education; and

16 WHEREAS, For a century, the Boerne chapter has upheld the
17 noble ideals established by the Order of the Eastern Star, and its
18 members today are carrying forward the proud legacy of this
19 esteemed association; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
21 Legislature hereby honor the Order of the Eastern Star in Boerne on
22 the 100th anniversary of its founding and extend to all those
23 associated with the group sincere best wishes for the future; and,
24 be it further

H.R. No. 1086

1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the
3 Texas House of Representatives.

Miller of Comal

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1086 was adopted by the House on April 13, 2011, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House