By: Gallego H.R. No. 1262

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The Bank and Trust, whose history has long been
- 2 entwined with that of Del Rio, celebrated a notable milestone with
- 3 the observance of its centennial in 2010; and
- WHEREAS, U.S. vice president John Nance Garner, from Uvalde,
- 5 was among the 33 original shareholders of the bank, which was
- 6 initially known as the Del Rio Bank and Trust; now owned by
- 7 approximately 65 family and shareholder groups, the bank boasts
- 8 assets today of approximately \$390 million; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Under the leadership of president and CEO Sid
- 10 Cauthorn, The Bank and Trust has experienced considerable growth,
- 11 including the opening of a second location in Del Rio and the
- 12 establishment of branches and investment services in Uvalde, San
- 13 Angelo, Boerne, and Bryan; in 2000, The First State Bank of
- 14 Brackettville and the Sutton County National Bank in Sonora were
- 15 merged with The Bank and Trust; and
- 16 WHEREAS, A highly valued asset in every community where it
- 17 has put down roots, The Bank and Trust continues to provide
- 18 essential financial services to local citizens and businesses alike
- 19 and to contribute to the progress of the Lone Star State; now,
- 20 therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby commemorate the 100th anniversary of the
- 23 founding of The Bank and Trust and extend to all those associated
- 24 with that institution sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it

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- 1 further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for The Bank and Trust as an expression of high regard by
- 4 the Texas House of Representatives.