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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The 90th birthday of an esteemed Texan is indeed
2 cause for celebration, and Eloise Holder of Waco reached that
3 impressive milestone on April 17, 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, Eloise McKamie was born in Moody in 1921, the ninth
5 child of William Henry and Nancy Ida McKamie; as a young woman, she
6 moved to Waco, where she met and married Fraser C. Holder, a soldier
7 stationed at Blackland Army Air Field; and

8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Holder and her husband operated the Stadium
9 Drive-In Grocery, named for its proximity to the Baylor University
10 football stadium; the store became best known for Mrs. Holder's
11 mouthwatering hamburgers, which were dubbed by regulars as the
12 "Holder Hamburger"; they were a favorite of residents of Waco, as
13 well as out-of-town Bears fans who made the Stadium Drive-In part of
14 their game-day ritual; Mrs. Holder and her husband retired after
15 nearly 50 years in business; and

16 WHEREAS, In addition to being the woman behind the Stadium
17 Drive-In Grocery's famous burgers, Eloise Holder has made a
18 positive difference in the lives of many people, and it is a
19 pleasure to join her loved ones in honoring her on this memorable
20 occasion; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Eloise Holder on her 90th birthday
23 and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and,
24 be it further

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