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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Martha 2 Wade Crone of Tyler, who passed away on April 3, 2011, at the age of 3 79; and

WHEREAS, Born on October 28, 1931, in Tyler to Euris Jackson Wade and Lessie Ann Campbell Wade, Martha Wade graduated from Tyler High School in 1949 and continued her studies at Tyler Junior College; she subsequently went on to enjoy a notable career with the Texas Department of Public Safety that spanned more than a guarter-century; and

10 WHEREAS, This beloved woman married Bobby Crone, with whom 11 she shared a rewarding marriage of 60 years, and she took great 12 pride in their family, which includes three children, Michael, 13 Eddie, and Marilyn, as well as five grandchildren and three 14 great-grandchildren; and

15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Crone was an active member of Pollard United 16 Methodist Church, and she also belonged to the Rose Garden Chapter 17 of the American Business Women's Association, serving the group as 18 president and being named its 1989 Woman of the Year and the 19 recipient of its Ambassador Award; and

20 WHEREAS, Martha Crone was truly a blessing in the lives of 21 countless people, and she will be deeply missed by all those who 22 were fortunate enough to know her; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Martha Wade Crone

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and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her 1 husband, Bobby D. Crone; to her children, Michael Crone and his 2 wife, Tia, Eddie Crone and his wife, Linda, and Marilyn Crone; to 3 her grandchildren, Rachel and Mandi Keough and Kristin, Taylor, and 4 Jordan Crone; to her three great-grandchildren; to her 5 6 sisters-in-law, Norma Jean Alfred, Alice Crone, and Patsy Fetter; to her brother-in-law, Harold Ray Crone, and his wife, Pat; and to 7 her other relatives and friends; and, be it further 8

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 10 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of 11 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Martha Wade 12 Crone.

Anderson of McLennan

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1910 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 19, 2011.

Chief Clerk of the House