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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Lupe Silva was named the March 2011 McAllen Cancer  
2 Fighter of the Month by the American Cancer Society; and

3 WHEREAS, Diagnosed with Stage III ovarian cancer in June  
4 2009, Ms. Silva quickly underwent surgery and, following her  
5 recovery, began chemotherapy treatment; she has since undergone two  
6 more surgeries, the last one in December 2010, and is again  
7 completing a round of chemotherapy; and

8 WHEREAS, CT scans currently reveal Ms. Silva to be  
9 tumor-free, though blood work shows the fight is not yet over, and  
10 she and her doctors remain vigilant; still, she proudly counts  
11 herself among the survivors; and

12 WHEREAS, Through it all, Ms. Silva has drawn strength from  
13 the love and prayers of her family and friends, and her unfaltering  
14 courage has inspired all who know her; now, therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
16 Legislature hereby congratulate Lupe Silva for being named the  
17 March 2011 McAllen Cancer Fighter of the Month and extend to her  
18 sincere best wishes for continued recovery; and, be it further

19 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
20 prepared for Ms. Silva as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
21 House of Representatives.