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H.R. No. 2193

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Helen L. Greathouse Children's Center in Midland
2 is celebrating the 25th anniversary of its founding in 2011; and

3 WHEREAS, Established in October 1985 on the Midland College
4 campus, the center serves MC students and employees and members of
5 the Midland community; it was renamed in 1996 in honor of
6 philanthropist Helen Greathouse, a longtime generous benefactor of
7 the college, and relocated in 2009 from its original building to a
8 new 8,000-square-foot facility; in addition to its primary focus,
9 the center serves as a training resource for child development,
10 psychology, and nursing students, as well as local child-care
11 providers; and

12 WHEREAS, Under the leadership of director Rita Stotts and
13 assistant director Tanya Primera, the center employs 12 teachers, 5
14 assistant teachers, and 5 part-time students and enrolls 85
15 children, ranging in age from four months to five years; and

16 WHEREAS, For a quarter of a century, the Greathouse
17 Children's Center has served as a high quality home away from home
18 for the children of both students and professionals, and it is
19 indeed a pleasure to recognize the center's proud tradition of
20 excellence; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
22 Legislature hereby commemorate the 25th anniversary of the Helen L.
23 Greathouse Children's Center and extend to all those associated
24 with the institution sincere best wishes for continued success;

1 and, be it further

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