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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, An inspiring couple whose lives have been enhanced
2 by a great and enduring love, Jim and Janice Conkwright of Lubbock
3 are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on August 17, 2013;
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5 WHEREAS, Jim Conkwright and the former Janice Berry were
6 united in matrimony at Whaley United Methodist Church in
7 Gainesville, Texas, in 1963; through the years, they have nurtured
8 a fulfilling marriage that has been made even richer with the
9 addition of two daughters, Leslie and Robin, and two grandsons,
10 Henry and Colby; and

11 WHEREAS, Respected members of their West Texas community,
12 Mr. Conkwright retired as general manager of the High Plains
13 Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 and Mrs. Conkwright
14 was a teacher in the Hereford and Lubbock Independent School
15 Districts; moreover, she has been an active volunteer with the Deaf
16 Smith County Historical Society and Lubbock Meals on Wheels, as
17 well as with her churches; and

18 WHEREAS, While much has changed in the world over the past
19 half-century, this devoted husband and wife have remained constant
20 in their commitment to each other, and the strength of their love
21 has enabled them to meet life's challenges and opportunities with
22 grace and optimism; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
24 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate Jim and Janice

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1 Conkwright on their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them
2 sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
4 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Conkwright as an expression of high regard
5 by the Texas House of Representatives.