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H.R. No. 73

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church in
2 Houston joined together on August 24, 2012, to honor their pastor,
3 Dr. Louis C. Sidney, Sr., for his many years of dedicated service;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, A native of Houston, Dr. Sidney holds a bachelor's
6 degree in theology from Conroe Normal and Real Bible Seminary and a
7 doctorate in divinity from the Inter-Baptist Theological Center; he
8 was called to the ministry more than three and a half decades ago,
9 and he has pastored St. Paul MBC for over 28 years, encouraging
10 several generations of worshippers in their spiritual journeys and
11 contributing immeasurably to the vitality of this dynamic
12 congregation; and

13 WHEREAS, The benevolent influence of this diligent and
14 compassionate spiritual leader extends well beyond his
15 congregation; he has served as dean of the Progressive Peaceful
16 Union District Association, as president of the Houston Police
17 Department Northeast Multicultural Coalition, and as a member of
18 the Northeast Ministers Council and the Northeast Harris County
19 Christian Ministers Alliance; and

20 WHEREAS, Blessed with a fine family, Dr. Sidney draws
21 continuing inspiration from his wife, Darlene Sidney, his 5
22 children, and his 11 grandchildren; and

23 WHEREAS, Throughout his tenure at St. Paul Missionary
24 Baptist, Dr. Sidney has given tirelessly of his time and talents in

1 behalf of the congregation and its mission, and it is a pleasure to
2 join in recognizing him at this time; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
4 Legislature hereby commend Dr. Louis C. Sidney, Sr., for nearly
5 three decades of outstanding service to St. Paul Missionary Baptist
6 Church and extend to him sincere appreciation for the leadership
7 that he has provided to both his church and his community; and, be
8 it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
10 prepared for Dr. Sidney as an expression of high regard by the Texas
11 House of Representatives.