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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The city of Euless lost one of its most admired

citizens with the passing of Donna Mickan on January 6, 2013, at the

3 age of 69; and

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4 WHEREAS, A native of Georgetown, the former Donna Bishop was

5 born to Willie and Cleo Bishop on July 31, 1943, and she grew up with

6 the companionship of two brothers, Clinton and Troy; she married

7 Randell Mickan, and they moved to Euless in 1964; the couple shared

8 more than five decades together and were devoted parents to their

9 children, Marianne and Randell; and

10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Mickan enjoyed a career at Trinity High School

11 before retiring, and she co-owned and operated Bloomtown Florist in

12 the Euless Town Center in 1981; in addition to her professional

13 duties, she found time to give back to her community as a member of

14 the Economic Development Advisory Board and the Historical

15 Preservation Committee; moreover, she was a former president of the

16 Morrisdale Homeowners Association, and she frequently volunteered

17 as a docent at historic Heritage Park; a graduate of the Euless

18 Citizens Fire-Police Academy, she was active in the Citizens Fire

19 and Police Academy alumni associations; and

20 WHEREAS, Mrs. Mickan was elected to Place 4 on the Euless City

21 Council in 2008; over the course of her two terms, she acted as a

22 liaison to the Grapevine-Colleyville school district and

23 represented the council on the Hurst-Euless-Bedford Teen Court

24 Advisory Board; she also held the office of mayor pro tempore in

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- 1 2011; and
- WHEREAS, In her leisure time, Mrs. Mickan enjoyed traveling,
- 3 playing the piano, and singing in the choir at First United
- 4 Methodist of Hurst, where she was an administrative board member;
- 5 sustained by a deep and abiding faith, she helped comfort and
- 6 counsel others as a Stephen Minister; and
- WHEREAS, Although Donna Mickan will be greatly missed, her
- 8 kind words and deeds will continue to serve as a source of
- 9 inspiration for all those who were blessed to share in the richness
- 10 of her life; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 12 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Donna Mickan and
- 13 extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
- 14 husband, Randell Mickan, Sr.; to her children, Marianne Priddy and
- 15 her husband, Michael, and Randell Mickan, Jr., and his wife, Kelly;
- 16 to her grandchildren, Mitchell Priddy, Michelle Priddy, Erin
- 17 Mickan, and Samantha Mickan; to her brothers, Clinton Bishop and
- 18 his wife, Adale, and Troy Bishop; and to her other relatives and
- 19 friends; and, be it further
- 20 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 21 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 22 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Donna
- 23 Mickan.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 104 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on January 15, 2013.

Chief Clerk of the House