

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Locally owned restaurants add to the diversity and
2 flavor of Texas towns and cities, and Madres' Cocina restaurant in
3 Forney has celebrated 15 years of contributing to its community;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, After learning their trade at the Tex-Mex restaurant
6 Viva, Sheri and Billy Garza fulfilled their long-held dream of
7 starting their own restaurant when they opened Madres' Cocina 15
8 years ago; and

9 WHEREAS, This welcoming, family-owned establishment has
10 since become a favorite gathering spot for area residents; the
11 restaurant received a four-star rating from the local newspaper in
12 2008, and in 2009, it was rated one of the top 10 restaurants in
13 Forney; and

14 WHEREAS, In the late summer of 2012, Madres' Cocina
15 celebrated its 15th anniversary with a festive week of events
16 benefiting cancer survivors, including a race car raffle and a
17 tamale eating contest; and

18 WHEREAS, The well-being of the people of Texas depends on a
19 vibrant economy, and independent businesses that are engaged with
20 their communities are to be commended for the vital role they play
21 in the prosperity and cultural richness of the Lone Star State; now,
22 therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate Madres' Cocina on its 15th

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1 anniversary and extend to the Garzas and their staff sincere best
2 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

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Alonzo	Gooden	Otto
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Bell	Hernandez Luna	Phillips
Bohac	Herrero	Pickett
Bonnen of Brazoria	Hilderbran	Pitts
Bonnen of Galveston	Howard	Price
Branch	Huberty	Raney
Burkett	Hughes	Ratliff
Burnam	Hunter	Raymond
Button	Isaac	Reynolds
Callegari	Johnson	Riddle
Canales	Kacal	Ritter
Capriglione	Keffer	Rodriguez of Bexar
Carter	King of Hemphill	Rodriguez of Travis
Clardy	King of Parker	Rose
Coleman	King of Taylor	Sanford
Collier	King of Zavala	Schaefer
Cook	Kleinschmidt	Sheets
Cortez	Klick	Sheffield of Bell
Craddick	Kolkhorst	Sheffield of Coryell
Creighton	Krause	Simmons
Crownover	Kuempel	Simpson
Dale	Larson	Smith
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Deshotel	Longoria	Strama
Dukes	Lozano	Taylor
Dutton	Lucio III	Thompson of Brazoria
Eiland	Marquez	Thompson of Harris
Elkins	Martinez	Toth
Fallon	Martinez Fischer	Turner of Collin
Farias	McClendon	Turner of Harris
Farney	Menendez	Turner of Tarrant
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Fletcher	Miller of Comal	Villarreal
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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 164 was adopted by the House on February 18, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House