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H.R. No. 208

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of
2 mutual devotion and shared experiences, and Ruben and Sandy Franco
3 of Irving celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on
4 November 3, 2012; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Franco met at Crozier Tech High School
6 in Dallas and were joined in matrimony in 1962; through the years,
7 they have been blessed with a treasured family that includes three
8 sons and nine grandchildren; and

9 WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Mr. and
10 Mrs. Franco have benefited the citizens of Irving in a number of
11 ways; Mr. Franco spent five years on the Irving Independent School
12 District Board of Trustees, including one year as its president; he
13 has also served on the boards of the Irving Fire Foundation, the
14 Irving Sister Cities International, and the local YMCA and
15 Salvation Army; Mrs. Franco has been involved with the
16 FireFighters' Ball fund-raiser and the Irving Women's Network and
17 its Homeless Teens initiative; both Mr. and Mrs. Franco have
18 contributed their time and talents in support of the Irving
19 Heritage Society as well as Keep Irving Beautiful, which recognized
20 the couple with a lifetime achievement award in 2012; and

21 WHEREAS, This devoted husband and wife have enjoyed five
22 decades of abiding love and affection for each other, and they are
23 among an exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a
24 lasting commitment; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Ruben and Sandy Franco on their
3 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes
4 for continued happiness; and, be it further

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