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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Denison Area Chamber of Commerce celebrated its
2 100th anniversary on February 12, 2012; and

3 WHEREAS, Founded in 1912 by five businessmen, the Denison
4 Area Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to supporting local
5 businesses and fostering a competitive economic environment in the
6 area; the group sponsors a leadership academy, offers professional
7 development seminars and networking opportunities, and supports
8 efforts to retain and recruit industry; and

9 WHEREAS, In addition to encouraging economic prosperity, the
10 chamber partners with other groups to help make the city an even
11 better place in which to live; it works with the school district on
12 scholastic improvement and educational awareness, and it promotes
13 tourism and sponsors numerous recreational events for youth;
14 moreover, the chamber's board played an important role in the
15 creation of Lake Texoma, and its recommendation to introduce
16 striped bass into the reservoir has resulted in an exciting sport
17 fishing attraction that regularly draws enthusiastic anglers; and

18 WHEREAS, For a century, the Denison Area Chamber of Commerce
19 has worked to encourage economic growth and enhance the quality of
20 life for area residents, and it is a pleasure to commend this
21 dynamic organization for its leadership and commitment; now,
22 therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
24 Legislature hereby commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Denison

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1 Area Chamber of Commerce and extend sincere best wishes for
2 continued success to its members and staff; and, be it further

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