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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Mary Henkel Judson of Port Aransas has been inducted  
2 into the Texas Newspaper Foundation Hall of Fame; and

3 WHEREAS, Honored at the Texas Press Association's Midwinter  
4 Conference & Trade Show on January 18, 2013, Mary Judson was duly  
5 recognized for her many contributions to the newspaper industry in  
6 the Lone Star State; and

7 WHEREAS, This distinguished leader and pioneer in the field  
8 became the first woman elected president of the TPA, and she has  
9 further served her profession as president of the South Texas Press  
10 Association; and

11 WHEREAS, Today, Ms. Judson is editor of the Port Aransas  
12 *South Jetty* newspaper, which she copublishes with her husband,  
13 Murray; together, the couple also serve as copresidents of the  
14 Texas Gulf Coast Press Association; and

15 WHEREAS, Mary Judson's commitment to excellence is evident  
16 throughout her body of work, and her latest achievement is  
17 indicative of the high regard in which she is held by her fellow  
18 journalists across the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
20 Legislature hereby congratulate Mary Henkel Judson on her induction  
21 into the Texas Newspaper Foundation Hall of Fame and extend to her  
22 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
24 prepared for Ms. Judson as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
25 House of Representatives.