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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Memories of a life filled with joyful times and
2 meaningful accomplishments remain to comfort the family and friends
3 of Beverly Singley Junell of Midland, who passed away on May 5,
4 2012, at the age of 64; and

5 WHEREAS, The daughter of Jones William and Margaret Singley,
6 Beverly Singley was born on July 20, 1947, in Wellington; she earned
7 her bachelor's degree in art education from Texas Tech University,
8 where she met her future husband, former state representative and
9 five-term chair of the House Appropriations Committee, U.S.
10 District Judge Robert Alan Junell; they married in 1968 and their
11 family grew to include three children, Robert Ryan, Keith
12 Elizabeth, and Clay Jones, as well as a number of grandchildren; and

13 WHEREAS, The Junells lived in Germany while Judge Junell
14 served in the U.S. Army, and during their time there, they enjoyed
15 skiing in the Alps and traveling Europe; on their return to the
16 United States, Mrs. Junell taught art in Lubbock until her husband
17 finished law school; they subsequently made their home in San
18 Angelo for many years; and

19 WHEREAS, Mrs. Junell served on several committees in support
20 of local arts, and she further contributed to the community as a
21 member of the board of Baptist Memorial Hospital; moreover, she
22 sang in the San Angelo Symphony Chorale, and she participated in the
23 handbell ensemble and choirs of the First Presbyterian Church of
24 San Angelo; along the way, she was highly involved in the lives of

1 her children, encouraging them in their piano lessons and traveling
2 with them to soccer and field hockey tournaments around the state;
3 and

4 WHEREAS, After the family moved to Midland, Mrs. Junell
5 continued her musical endeavors at the First Presbyterian Church
6 there; she and her husband enjoyed many happy weekends skiing and
7 hiking in nearby Ruidoso, New Mexico, and she also delighted in
8 trips around the globe with her sisters; and

9 WHEREAS, Those fortunate enough to have known Beverly Junell
10 will remember the way she touched their lives with her many talents,
11 her energy, and her wonderful sense of humor, and she will forever
12 hold a treasured place in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
14 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Beverly Singley
15 Junell and extend deepest sympathy to the members of her family: to
16 her husband, the Honorable Robert Alan Junell; to her children,
17 Clay Junell and his wife, Samantha, Keith Junell Statler and her
18 husband, Aaron, and Ryan Junell and his wife, Tanya; to her
19 grandchildren, Rowan Junell, Felix Statler, Robert Ryan Junell,
20 Jr., and Jet Junell; to her sisters, Linda Stansbury and her
21 husband, Ted, and Cathy Sondergaard and her husband, John; to her
22 niece, Julie Hodges; and to her other relatives and many friends;
23 and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
25 prepared for the members of her family and that when the Texas House
26 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Beverly
27 Junell.