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H.R. No. 1436

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, June 29, 2013, signals the beginning of a new  
2 chapter in the lives of Paula Michele Jones and Benjamin Odis  
3 Newman, for on that day they will exchange their wedding vows at  
4 Katy Baptist Church in Colmesneil and embark on a rewarding journey  
5 together as husband and wife; and

6           WHEREAS, Born and raised in Woodville, Ms. Jones graduated  
7 from Woodville High School in 1990; while there, she participated  
8 in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the Family, Career, and  
9 Community Leaders of America, 4-H, and the choir, and she continued  
10 to serve 4-H as a judge and leader after graduating; she is a former  
11 president of the Tyler County Chamber of Commerce and a current  
12 member of the Woodville City Council; and

13           WHEREAS, Mr. Newman graduated in 1996 from Colmesneil High  
14 School, where he was a member of the Fellowship of Christian  
15 Athletes, the Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America, and  
16 the FFA; and

17           WHEREAS, Ms. Jones and Mr. Newman met at their mutual place of  
18 employment, Walmart, and bonded over their love of movies and *Star*  
19 *Trek*; they both attend Katy Baptist Church in Colmesneil and  
20 contribute to the congregation as volunteers with the young adult  
21 group; the bride is the daughter of the late Carl and Gloria Jones,  
22 and the groom is the son of Debie Zumwalt and the late Terry  
23 Zumwalt; and

24           WHEREAS, The wedding of Paula Jones and Benjamin Newman marks

1 a profound deepening of a relationship that has grown in love,  
2 respect, and mutual regard with each passing day, and it is truly a  
3 pleasure to honor this fortunate couple as they are united in  
4 marriage; now, therefore, be it

5         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
6 Legislature hereby congratulate Paula Michele Jones and Benjamin  
7 Odis Newman on the joyous occasion of their wedding and extend to  
8 them sincere best wishes for a lifetime of happiness; and, be it  
9 further

10         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
11 prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
12 House of Representatives.