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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Through her longtime involvement in grassroots 2 politics, Linda Kinney has made an invaluable contribution to the 3 vitality of civic life in Hays County; and

WHEREAS, This dynamic Texan has served the Hays County 4 5 Republican Executive Committee in a number of roles, including those of precinct chair, county chair, secretary, and treasurer, 6 7 and she has worked tirelessly to elect numerous successful candidates in Hays County to such offices as sheriff, county 8 9 commissioner, and county judge; moreover, for the past 15 years, she has assisted in organizing the party's annual Lincoln-Reagan 10 11 dinner events; and

WHEREAS, In 2012, Ms. Kinney was elected as the State Republican Executive Committeewoman for Senate District 25, which includes Hays, Guadalupe, Comal, Bexar, Kendall, and Travis Counties; she previously served the party at the state level as a member of the organizational, platform, and rules committees; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kinney was appointed to the Texas Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority by Governor Rick Perry, and she now chairs its Grantee Advisory Committee; in that capacity, she oversees funds in excess of \$15 million per year; she is currently employed as executive assistant to a Hays County commissioner; and

23 WHEREAS, Along the way, Ms. Kinney has enjoyed the love and 24 encouragement of her husband, Wally Kinney, as well as their two

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1 daughters, Sara and Emily; and

2 WHEREAS, Linda Kinney has set an outstanding example of 3 public-spirited engagement, and in so doing, she has earned the 4 respect and admiration of many fellow citizens; now, therefore, be 5 it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas 7 Legislature hereby honor Linda Kinney for her service to her 8 community and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, 9 be it further

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