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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Mrs. Mac's Shining Stars has served Georgetown
- 2 children since 1998; and
- 3 WHEREAS, A faith-based child-care center and primary school,
- 4 Mrs. Mac's Shining Stars was founded by Linda McCasland, who
- 5 previously served for 13 years as director of Cornerstone
- 6 Connection Private Christian School; and
- 7 WHEREAS, The initial enrollment of Mrs. Mac's Shining Stars
- 8 was 32, and within five months, it had grown to 134; today, the
- 9 school offers child care for infants and toddlers and academic
- 10 instruction for children from kindergarten through the fourth
- 11 grade; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Fostering social, intellectual, and spiritual
- 13 development, the institution promotes parental involvement and
- 14 provides an A Beka-based curriculum; experienced elementary
- 15 teachers lead classes in all core subjects, including the Bible,
- 16 language arts, reading, math, science, and social studies; in
- 17 addition, students can participate in enrichment programs in
- 18 computers, Spanish, physical education, art, and music, and monthly
- 19 field trips help expand their horizons; technology is integrated
- 20 into the learning environment through the use of computers,
- 21 tablets, and interactive whiteboards; and
- WHEREAS, The faculty and staff of Mrs. Mac's Shining Stars
- 23 have demonstrated an unwavering commitment to child development and
- 24 education, and it is a privilege to commend them for their efforts;

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- 1 now, therefore, be it
- 2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 3 Legislature hereby honor Mrs. Mac's Shining Stars and its founder,
- 4 Linda McCasland, for their contributions and extend to Mrs.
- 5 McCasland and all those associated with her school sincere best
- 6 wishes; and, be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for the school as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 9 House of Representatives.