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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Local institutions play a vital role in the 2 prosperity of the Lone Star State, and those enterprises that build 3 a record of dependability and longevity enjoy a special degree of 4 esteem in their communities; and

5 WHEREAS, Originally located on the Titus County Courthouse 6 Square, Guaranty State Bank opened to the public in 1913 with an 7 initial capital investment of \$50,000; this notable business today 8 has more than \$1 billion in total assets and operates a flagship 9 branch in downtown Mt. Pleasant; after undergoing a number of name 10 changes, it adopted the name Guaranty Bond Bank in 2002; and

11 WHEREAS, Guaranty has withstood the Great Depression, two 12 world wars, and a number of stock market crashes, and in the process 13 it has matured into a strong and stable organization with 16 14 locations throughout East Texas; dedicated to the betterment of 15 each community it serves, the bank encourages civic involvement 16 among its employees and has a long history of participation in area 17 organizations and charities; and

WHEREAS, Dedicated to supporting the financial well-being of its customers, Guaranty Bond Bank has played an important role in the lives of East Texas residents for a century, and it is indeed a pleasure to honor the company on the occasion of this milestone year; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
 Legislature hereby commemorate the 100th anniversary of Guaranty

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1 Bond Bank in East Texas and extend to all its directors, officers,
2 and employees sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
3 further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 5 prepared for the bank as an expression of high regard by the Texas 6 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2018 was adopted by the House on May 17, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House