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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Janice V. Sharry has been named the 2013 Advisor

2 Dealmaker of the Year by the Dallas Business Journal; and

3 WHEREAS, Presented in conjunction with the Association for

Corporate Growth, the honor is part of the Journal's M&A Awards,

5 which recognize the top deals, dealmakers, and transactions in

North Texas; and 6

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7 WHEREAS, Jan Sharry, a partner at the Haynes and Boone law

firm in Dallas, has participated in more than a dozen mergers and 8

9 acquisitions over the past year, representing an estimated value in

10 excess of \$1 billion; this noted corporate finance expert served as

11 lead counsel in connection with the sale of a controlling interest

12 in Service King Collision Repair to a private equity fund managed by

The Carlyle Group, a transaction selected as the 2013 Large Deal of 13

the Year; in addition, she advised American Airlines in its 12-year 14

capacity purchase agreement with Republic Airways Holdings, an 15

16 effort that will allow the carrier to offer more flights in key

markets; she also assisted Rise Energy Partners in its sale of 17

interests in various oil and gas producing properties to Memorial

Production Partners for a purchase price of more than \$270 million,

and she represented Matador Resources Company, an independent oil 20

and gas business, in its initial public offering of \$178.6 million 21

22 of common stock; and

23 WHEREAS, Making an impact in civic life as well, Ms. Sharry

has shared her time with a number of worthwhile organizations; she 24

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- 1 currently serves on the boards of the Dallas Women's Foundation and
- 2 the Trinity Commons Foundation, and she chairs the Dallas chapter
- 3 of the International Women's Forum; moreover, she has benefited the
- 4 Dallas Summer Musicals and the Executive Women's Roundtable of the
- 5 Dallas Chamber of Commerce; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Jan Sharry has earned the high regard of the
- 7 business community through her skillful representation of her
- 8 clients in transactions that resonate throughout the Texas economy
- 9 and beyond, and it is a privilege to join the Dallas Business
- 10 Journal in recognizing her accomplishments; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 12 Legislature hereby congratulate Janice V. Sharry on being named the
- 13 2013 Advisor Dealmaker of the Year and extend to her sincere best
- 14 wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 16 prepared for Ms. Sharry as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 17 House of Representatives.