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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Jackie Elizabeth Byrd of Frisco on April 12, 2013, at the
3 age of 76; and

4 WHEREAS, The daughter of Rubin Dalton and Leeola Mae Morgan,
5 the former Jackie Morgan was born in Collin County on December 2,
6 1936; she enjoyed a career as a mail carrier for the U.S. Postal
7 Service and was active in the congregation of First Baptist Church
8 in Frisco; and

9 WHEREAS, On March 3, 1953, she exchanged vows with Cecil
10 Byrd, and together, the couple shared a rewarding marriage that
11 spanned six decades; over the years, they were blessed with four
12 children, Cindy, Jack, Barry, and Lucy, and later delighted in
13 welcoming grandchildren and great-grandchildren into their family;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, Jackie Byrd treasured the time she spent in the
16 company of her loved ones, and those she leaves behind will in turn
17 cherish their memories of this kind and caring woman; now,
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Jackie Elizabeth Byrd
21 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
22 husband, Cecil Byrd; to her children, Cindy Grounds, Jack "Bubba"
23 Byrd and his wife, Donna, Barry Lee Byrd and his wife, Delania, and
24 Lucy Rodriguez and her husband, Jessie; to her grandchildren,

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1 Natalie Pinkard, Amanda Byrd, Bobbie Grounds, Justin Stratton,
2 Jennifer Lyles, Tiffany Rodriguez, Nicole Rodriguez, and Priscilla
3 Ordonez; to her 12 great-grandchildren; and to her other relatives
4 and many friends; and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for her family, and that when the Texas House of
7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jackie
8 Elizabeth Byrd.