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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Virginia R. Garza retired as the meal site manager
2 at the Driscoll Community Center on December 31, 2014, drawing to a
3 close a 27-year tenure with Nueces County Senior Community Services
4 and a lifelong career spent caring for the needs of her fellow
5 citizens; and

6 WHEREAS, Ms. Garza began working at the Driscoll Community
7 Center in 2003, after serving as the meal site manager at the
8 Robstown Community Center for more than 15 years; in these roles,
9 she was tasked with overseeing and recruiting volunteers for the
10 senior citizen nutrition program and motivating her clients at the
11 centers to maintain healthy, active lifestyles; in addition, this
12 compassionate Texan personally delivered meals to homebound
13 residents in the area, a practice she carried on from her nine years
14 as a van driver with the City of Corpus Christi; and

15 WHEREAS, A native of Nueces County, Ms. Garza was born in
16 Floresville and raised in Robstown, where she started her career in
17 1974 as a bus driver for the Robstown Independent School District
18 and later served as a child care paraprofessional at the Wesley
19 Community Center; in all her endeavors, she has enjoyed the love and
20 support of her three children, Rosa Linda, Sylvia, and Ruben, and
21 her grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and

22 WHEREAS, The kindness and dedication that Virginia Garza
23 brought to her duties helped countless older Texans enjoy a greater
24 quality of life, and she may reflect with pride on her many

1 achievements as she embarks on her well-deserved retirement; now,
2 therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
4 Legislature hereby congratulate Virginia R. Garza on her retirement
5 from Nueces County Senior Community Services and extend to her
6 sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for Ms. Garza as an expression of high regard by the Texas
9 House of Representatives.