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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Montgomery County Republican Women,
2 North Shore Republican Women, Lake Conroe Area Republican Women,
3 East Montgomery County Republican Women, and The Woodlands
4 Republican Women are gathering in Austin on April 16, 2015, to
5 celebrate the Federation of Republican Women Legislative Day at the
6 Capitol; and

7 WHEREAS, The Texas Federation of Republican Women was
8 established in San Antonio in October 1955; with more than 300
9 delegates present, the organizing convention was led by Mrs.
10 Malcolm Milburn, and it resulted in the election of Mrs. R. D.
11 O'Callaghan as the first president; in the nearly six decades since
12 its inception, the organization's membership has grown to include
13 more than 11,000 participants in 163 chapters throughout Texas; and

14 WHEREAS, With the goals of educating women on the political
15 process, electing Republican candidates, and encouraging women to
16 run for office, TFRW produces quarterly publications and hosts
17 regular meetings that cover such issues as health, crime, and the
18 economy; the organization also works closely with the Republican
19 Party to train volunteers and provide support for local and
20 statewide campaigns; and

21 WHEREAS, This notable organization embodies a spirit of
22 public engagement, and its members may indeed reflect with great
23 pride on the exemplary model of citizenship they have set for their
24 fellow Texans; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
2 Legislature hereby commend the members of the Montgomery County
3 Republican Women, North Shore Republican Women, Lake Conroe Area
4 Republican Women, East Montgomery County Republican Women, and The
5 Woodlands Republican Women for their civic participation and extend
6 to them sincere best wishes for an informative and enjoyable stay in
7 Austin.