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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, March 31, 2015, marks the 54th wedding anniversary
2 of Bill and Susie Black of Ozona, and this joyous event provides a
3 fitting opportunity to reflect on their memorable journey together
4 as husband and wife; and

5 WHEREAS, Bill Black and the former Tommy Sue Chandler were
6 joined in matrimony in 1961; they are the parents of two children,
7 Will M. Black and the late Sue Ellen Crawford, and through the
8 years, they have seen their treasured family grow to include their
9 daughter-in-law, Vickie, as well as their grandchildren and
10 great-grandchildren; and

11 WHEREAS, Lifelong residents of Crockett County and
12 descendants of pioneer ranching families in the area, the couple
13 grew up near Ozona; Mr. Black helped found Crockett National Bank
14 and continues to hold a seat on its board of directors; following in
15 the footsteps of his father and grandfather, he also served several
16 terms as a county commissioner; Mrs. Black co-chairs fund-raising
17 efforts for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center and has aided the
18 efforts of various clubs and community projects; in addition to
19 their prominent roles in ranching and raising livestock, the pair
20 have also been involved in several business ventures; and

21 WHEREAS, The 54 years of marriage that Mr. and Mrs. Black
22 have shared is eloquent affirmation of the meaning of love and
23 commitment, and their enduring union is an inspiration to all who
24 know them; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Bill and Susie Black on their 54th
3 wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
4 continued happiness; and, be it further

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