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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The certain knowledge of a life well lived may help
- 2 comfort the loved ones of Cynthia Ann French of Mineola, who passed
- 3 away on January 29, 2015, at the age of 67; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The former Cindy Turbeville was born in Mineola on
- 5 October 9, 1947, to Mansell and Olga Turbeville; she graduated from
- 6 Deer Park High School in 1966 and married her high school
- 7 sweetheart, Terry French, the following year; the couple shared 47
- 8 years together and raised two children, Keith and Brandy; as her
- 9 family grew, she became affectionately known as "Grams" to her five
- 10 grandchildren; and
- 11 WHEREAS, During her husband's career with the air force,
- 12 Mrs. French traveled with him throughout the United States and
- 13 Europe; after returning home to Mineola, she volunteered with and
- 14 then became the director of Kindness Kottage, a resale shop that
- 15 also provides local residents with access to the food bank and
- 16 emergency assistance programs; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Cindy French was a devoted wife, mother, and
- 18 grandmother as well as a valued member of her community, and
- 19 cherished memories of time spent in her company will long endure in
- 20 the hearts of her family and friends; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Cynthia Ann French and
- 23 extend heartfelt condolences to the members of her family: to her
- 24 husband, Terry French; to her children, Keith French and his wife,

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- 1 Gretchen, and Brandy Lyons and her husband, Donald; to her
- 2 grandchildren, Alexander, Christian, and Lauren French and Taylor
- 3 and Ethan Lyons; to her siblings, Cheryl Stork and her husband,
- 4 Stan, Lisa Lucas, Gary French and his wife, Terry, and Dana French
- 5 and his wife, JoAnne; and to her other relatives and friends; and,
- 6 be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 9 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Cindy
- 10 French.