## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The members of Pinecrest Presbyterian Church in
- 2 Houston's Fifth Ward are celebrating the 90th anniversary of their
- 3 church's founding on June 14, 2015; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Originally known as Gregg Street Presbyterian
- 5 Church, the church was organized in 1925 by the Reverend James Henry
- 6 Monroe Boyce; it has since benefited from the dedicated efforts of a
- 7 number of outstanding clergymen, including the Reverends David
- 8 Shipley, Edward Triem, and J. D. Intsiful Jr., and interim pastors
- 9 David Northcutt and Dr. Charles Teykl; in 2013, the Reverend Jon
- 10 C. Guyton was appointed pastor at Pinecrest, his lifelong church
- 11 home; and
- 12 WHEREAS, United by their shared faith and strong traditions,
- 13 the members of this notable house of worship have established a
- 14 variety of commendable programs that foster fellowship and offer
- 15 help to those in need; those initiatives include the Leavesley
- 16 Education Center, day camp, employment training, refugee
- 17 resettlement, weekly senior meals, and a well-baby clinic; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Countless Houston residents have looked to
- 19 Pinecrest Presbyterian for spiritual guidance over the years, and
- 20 it is a pleasure to join in honoring the church at this special time
- 21 in its rich history; now, therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 23 Legislature hereby commemorate the 90th anniversary of Pinecrest
- 24 Presbyterian Church and extend to its clergy and congregation

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- 1 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 4 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2953 was adopted by the House on May 22, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House