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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of Together We Stand Christian Church in
2 Missouri City are celebrating the 21st anniversary of their
3 church's founding on September 17, 2017; and

4 WHEREAS, The church was organized on September 15, 1996, by
5 its current bishop, the Reverend Allen Rice, his wife, Cheryl, and
6 two other families, with early services being held in the Rice home;
7 the congregation relocated to a 10,000-square-foot facility on
8 Texas Parkway in June 1997, and after purchasing 10 acres of land on
9 the same road, Together We Stand moved into its present sanctuary in
10 2006; and

11 WHEREAS, United by their shared faith and strong traditions,
12 the members of this notable congregation have established a variety
13 of commendable programs that foster fellowship and offer help to
14 those in need; and

15 WHEREAS, Countless Missouri City residents have looked to
16 Together We Stand Christian Church for spiritual guidance over the
17 years, and it is a pleasure to join in honoring the church at this
18 special time in its rich history; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
20 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commemorate the 21st
21 anniversary of Together We Stand Christian Church and extend to its
22 members sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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1 House of Representatives.