By: Schofield

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Locally owned and operated restaurants contribute 2 to the character and vitality of their communities, and Snappy's 3 Café and Grill in Katy, which plays such a valued role, is 4 celebrating its 15th anniversary on February 8, 2017; and

5 WHEREAS, Founded in 2002 by Bobby Katsabas and Alex 6 Tsounakas, Snappy's is a traditional neighborhood diner, open seven 7 days a week for breakfast and lunch; the menu includes home-style 8 fare such as eggs and bacon, omelets, pancakes, sandwiches, 9 burgers, liver and onions, and chicken-fried steak, as well as 10 flavorful Greek specialties such as souvlaki and gyro sandwiches; 11 and

WHEREAS, Over the past decade and a half, Snappy's has become a popular gathering spot for families to share a meal together, for local officials and businesspeople to meet informally, and for seniors to hold court and solve the world's problems over a cup of coffee; on game days, the restaurant also serves as an unofficial headquarters for fans of the Katy Tigers; and

18 WHEREAS, The café's warm atmosphere is fostered by its owners 19 and its friendly and hardworking staff, who make an extra effort to 20 know the names and usual orders of their customers, providing the 21 kind of personal service that is a hallmark of small-town life; and

22 WHEREAS, The well-being of Texas depends on a vibrant, 23 diversified economy, and independent businesses deeply rooted in 24 their communities are to be commended for strengthening the

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1 prosperity of the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas 3 Legislature hereby commemorate the 15th anniversary of Snappy's 4 Café and Grill and extend to Bobby Katsabas, Alex Tsounakas, and 5 their staff sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it 6 further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Mr. Katsabas and Mr. Tsounakas as an expression of high
regard by the Texas House of Representatives.