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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Lawrence and Melba Bowers celebrated their 70th 2 wedding anniversary on February 1, 2017, and they may indeed 3 reflect with joy on the rewarding relationship they have shared; 4 and

5 WHEREAS, On that memorable day in 1947, Lawrence Bowers and 6 the former Melba Clark exchanged the vows of matrimony in 7 Greenville, and over the course of their marriage, they have found 8 in each other a loving life partner; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bowers count among their blessings a caring family that includes their daughters, Patricia Bowers and 10 11 Linda Fisseler and her husband, Dale, as well as their 12 grandchildren, Jeff Parham, Ben Fisseler, and Stephanie Windhorst and her husband, Zach, and their great-grandchildren, Avery and 13 14 Gage Windhorst, with whom they treasure spending many special occasions; and 15

16 WHEREAS, For seven decades, Lawrence and Melba Bowers have 17 brought to their marriage laughter, kindness, and devotion, and it 18 is a pleasure to honor them for their enduring commitment; now, 19 therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas 21 Legislature hereby congratulate Lawrence and Melba Bowers on their 22 70th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for 23 continued happiness; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas
House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 702 was adopted by the House on March 16, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House