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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, For 120 years, residents of Angleton have come
2 together to celebrate their faith at First Baptist Church of
3 Angleton; and

4 WHEREAS, Established on October 20, 1896, First Baptist held
5 its first services at a nearby Presbyterian church before moving
6 into its own facility 15 years later; the church has since grown to
7 include Angleton Christian School, which was built in 2005, and it
8 has also helped start two additional houses of worship, Second
9 Baptist Church and Primera Iglesia Bautista; and

10 WHEREAS, Through the years, the congregation has benefited
11 from the able leadership of a number of dedicated pastors, and today
12 that tradition of service is continued by Dr. Rodney Bowman; and

13 WHEREAS, First Baptist Church of Angleton has long served as
14 a source of inspiration and guidance to area residents, and its
15 continued existence is a testament to the unwavering commitment of
16 its members and clergy, both past and present; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
18 Legislature hereby commemorate the 120th anniversary of the
19 founding of First Baptist Church of Angleton and extend to the
20 congregation sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

21 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
22 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas
23 House of Representatives.