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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Pamela Franklin and Hailey Cooper of Gainesville
2 demonstrated great skill and composure in an emergency when they
3 came to the aid of a man suffering a heart attack on June 12, 2015;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, Employed as clerks at a service station off Highway
6 82 in Gainesville on that fateful day, Ms. Franklin and Ms. Cooper
7 heard shouts for help and hurried outside the store, where they
8 found a 50-year-old man who had fallen unconscious and stopped
9 breathing; and

10 WHEREAS, The two women, who are both CPR certified,
11 immediately began performing chest compressions and rescue
12 breathing on the stricken man, and after reviving him, they
13 continued to attend to him until paramedics arrived; the incident,
14 which was later determined to be a severe heart attack, left the man
15 in a coma for more than a week; thanks to the women's quick and
16 effective response, the Sanger resident eventually began to
17 recuperate and regain his strength; and

18 WHEREAS, In the midst of a crisis, Pamela Franklin and Hailey
19 Cooper remained calm and took decisive action to save the life of a
20 fellow Texan, and it is indeed appropriate that they be honored for
21 their exemplary actions; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
23 Legislature hereby commend Pamela Franklin and Hailey Cooper for
24 their heroism in providing critical assistance to a man in need and

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1 extend to them sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it
2 further

3 RESOLVED, That official copies of this resolution be prepared
4 for Ms. Franklin and Ms. Cooper as an expression of high regard by
5 the Texas House of Representatives.