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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, A 75th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of
- 2 mutual devotion and shared experiences, and Sterman and Virgie
- 3 Young of Post celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on
- 4 July 3, 2016; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Living on neighboring farms in Jack County, Sterman
- 6 Young and the former Virgie Potts eloped and were united in
- 7 matrimony in Walters, Oklahoma, in 1941; the couple have been
- 8 blessed with three beloved children, Ginny Bolin and her husband,
- 9 Sam, Gary Young and his wife, Peggy, and Nina Daniel and her
- 10 husband, Pete, and today, they take great pride in their
- 11 granddaughters, Betsey and Tracy, and their great-granddaughters,
- 12 Amanda and Ashley; and
- WHEREAS, Though they made their home in California and in
- 14 other Texas towns at the beginning of their marriage, Mr. and
- 15 Mrs. Young settled down in Post in 1947 and have remained there ever
- 16 since; Mr. Young is a veteran of World War II and has enjoyed a
- 17 successful career in the Texas oilfields, becoming a production
- 18 foreman for Grisham-Hunter in 1948; after leaving the company as
- 19 district superintendent 35 years later, he spent some time
- 20 consulting for Fina before retiring for good; Mrs. Young has worked
- 21 at the Postex Cotton Mill and as a bookkeeper for several different
- 22 businesses; and
- WHEREAS, The life that Mr. and Mrs. Young built together has
- 24 been further enriched by their many travels in their Airstream

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- 1 trailer to visit friends; in addition, Mr. Young takes pleasure in
- 2 fishing and woodworking, and Mrs. Young counts crocheting, sewing,
- 3 quilting, and ceramics among her favorite hobbies; and
- WHEREAS, While much has changed in the world over the past 75
- 5 years, this devoted husband and wife have remained constant in
- 6 their commitment to each other, and the strength of their love has
- 7 enabled them to meet life's challenges and opportunities with grace
- 8 and optimism; now, therefore, be it
- 9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
- 10 Legislature hereby congratulate Sterman and Virgie Young on their
- 11 75th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
- 12 continued happiness; and, be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 14 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Young as an expression of high regard by
- 15 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1443 was adopted by the House on April 27, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House