

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 47

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Cheryl Benson for her outstanding work as Founders' Day chair for the Alpha Xi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated; and

**WHEREAS**, The Alpha Xi Omega Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority was established on June 6, 1929; through programs of service, the chapter has long worked to encourage young women to develop high standards of character and to strive for excellence in educational achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, Cheryl Benson is a loyal Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority member who has served as a mentor and role model to countless sisters, and she has played an integral role in numerous Alpha Xi Omega Chapter programs and events; and

**WHEREAS**, Cheryl Benson is truly deserving of recognition for helping the chapter to fulfill its mission of service and for her exemplary leadership as the Founders' Day chair; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, hereby commend Cheryl Benson on her many contributions to the Alpha Xi Omega Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority and extend to her best wishes in all her future endeavors; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 24, 2017.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate