By: Johnson of Harris

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The members of Fallbrook Church in Houston are 2 celebrating the 25th anniversary of their church's founding in 3 2019; and

WHEREAS, Organized by Pastor Michael Pender 4 Sr., who 5 continues to lead the congregation today, Fallbrook Church held its first service at Gray Elementary School in September 1994; members 6 7 worshiped in private homes, an office space, and a co-leased church before Fallbrook established its current campus on Walters Road and 8 9 opened its auxiliary building in 2001; over the succeeding years, the church expanded its facilities to include a community center, a 10 worship center, and a children's and youth building; and 11

WHEREAS, In the quarter century since its founding, Fallbrook has grown into a thriving congregation with more than 10,000 members who have launched a variety of commendable programs that foster fellowship and offer help to those in need; committed to supporting children and families, the church also operates a day care, before-school and after-school programs, and a charter school for students in kindergarten through 12th grade; and

WHEREAS, Countless Houston residents have looked to Fallbrook Church for spiritual guidance over the years, and it is a pleasure to join in honoring the church at this special time in its rich history; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
Legislature hereby commemorate the 25th anniversary of Fallbrook

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Church in Houston and extend to its members sincere best wishes for
the future; and, be it further

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3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 4 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas 5 House of Representatives.