By: Leach H.R. No. 1534

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Wellness Center for Older Adults in Plano is 2 celebrating its 40th anniversary in June 2019; and

3 WHEREAS, Established in the late 1970s by a group of

4 concerned residents, the Wellness Center offers preventive health

5 care to Plano's older citizens; clinics were first held in the

6 Lion's Club Community Center and later at West Plano Presbyterian

7 Church; and

8 WHEREAS, Since 1984, the Plano Senior Center facility has

9 been the home base of the Wellness Center for Older Adults, which

10 now serves all of Collin County; operating five days a week, the

11 center provides a variety of services to individuals over the age of

12 55 and their caregivers, including health screenings, counseling,

13 and social work assistance; the center also offers a series of

14 special education programs and hosts a number of activities that

15 cater to the diverse needs of seniors and their loved ones; and

16 WHEREAS, The Wellness Center for Older Adults plays a

17 critical role in meeting the needs of area residents, and it is

18 fitting that this notable initiative be recognized for the valued

19 service it provides to the community; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

21 Legislature hereby commemorate the 40th anniversary of the Wellness

22 Center for Older Adults in Plano and extend to all those associated

23 with the organization sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it

24 further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for the center as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 3 House of Representatives.