

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Ivy and Pearl Foundation of Dallas, Incorporated, which is celebrating its 25th year of awarding scholarships to area high school students; and

WHEREAS, The Ivy and Pearl Foundation of Dallas is a nonprofit organization established by the Alpha Xi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated; the charitable foundation promotes educational excellence through scholarship programs and supports local health and wellness initiatives for vulnerable families; and

WHEREAS, Each year, the Ivy and Pearl Foundation of Dallas awards its signature \$12,000 Travis T. Lewis Scholarship to a deserving young woman who excels academically, has prioritized service to her community, and has been accepted to a four-year college or university; the foundation also awards two \$1,500 scholarships, the Mabel Chandler Undergraduate Scholarship and the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, This year, the Ivy and Pearl Foundation of Dallas is celebrating 25 years of educational support and public service and is hosting its Silver Anniversary Scholarship Fundraiser, the Ivy and Pearl Bowl-A-Thon; all associated with the foundation can reflect with pride on their outstanding service to the young citizens of Dallas; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 87th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby extend best wishes to the leaders and members of the Ivy and Pearl Foundation of Dallas, Incorporated, for a memorable and successful 25th Silver Anniversary celebration and fund-raising event; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the foundation 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 September 30, 2021.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate