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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A life made rich through meaningful service drew to

a close with the passing of Anne Newberry Bergman of Weatherford on

3 November 4, 2020, at the age of 95; and

4 WHEREAS, The former Anne Newberry was born in Weatherford on

5 March 12, 1925, to William and Mary Newberry; she received a

6 bachelor's degree in accounting from Trinity University in 1946,

7 and the following year, she married Robert Bergman, whom she had met

8 on a blind date; the couple shared a rewarding marriage that spanned

9 seven decades, and they took great pride in their three children,

10 Elizabeth, John, and William, and in their 11 grandchildren and 4

11 great-grandchildren; and

12 WHEREAS, Passionate about politics, Mrs. Bergman was a

13 delegate to the Republican Party state convention beginning in

14 1952, and she contributed her time and energy to a number of

15 gubernatorial, congressional, and presidential campaigns; from

16 1976 to 1977, she served as president of the Texas Federation of

17 Republican Women; engaged in her local community as well, she held a

18 city council seat and was a founding member of the Friends of the

19 Weatherford Public Library; she attended All Saints' Anglican

20 Church, and she played a key role in establishing the church's

21 orphanage in Mexico; and

WHEREAS, Above all else, Mrs. Bergman cherished time spent

23 with her family, and she especially enjoyed traveling and sailing;

24 she and her husband were also valued members of the Weatherford Wine

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- 1 and Food Society; and
- 2 WHEREAS, While the passing of Anne Bergman brings great
- 3 sadness to her loved ones, she leaves behind a legacy that will long
- 4 be treasured by all those who held her dear; now, therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 6 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Anne Newberry
- 7 Bergman and extend heartfelt sympathy to the members of her family:
- 8 to her daughter, Elizabeth Bozzell; to her sons, John Bergman and
- 9 his wife, Nancy, and William Bergman and his wife, Melissa; to her
- 10 grandchildren, Catherine, Carrie, Drew, Grant, Spencer, Brett,
- 11 Ellen, Anne, Randi, and Riley; to her great-grandchildren, Noah,
- 12 Abby, Halee, and Weston; and to her other relatives and friends;
- 13 and, be it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 15 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 16 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Anne
- 17 Bergman.