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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of Glen Cove Baptist Church are marking
2 the 125th anniversary of their church's founding on August 12,
3 2025; and

4 WHEREAS, This venerable religious institution was organized
5 as Glen Cove Missionary Baptist Church on August 12, 1900, with 24
6 charter members; initially meeting at the local Methodist church,
7 the congregation purchased its current site in 1948 and held its
8 first service in the renovated Bowen School Building the following
9 year; over the succeeding decades, the church added a fellowship
10 hall and parsonage, and in 2015, its members dedicated a new
11 sanctuary; and

12 WHEREAS, Since its founding, Glen Cove Baptist Church has
13 benefited from the dedicated efforts of many outstanding clergy,
14 including Pastor Zachery Ailshie, who has led the congregation
15 since 2007; and

16 WHEREAS, United by their shared faith and strong traditions,
17 the members of this notable house of worship have established a
18 variety of commendable programs that foster fellowship and offer
19 help to those in need, including numerous missions and outreach
20 efforts; moreover, in 2008, the church spearheaded the creation of
21 a local volunteer fire department; and

22 WHEREAS, Countless area residents have looked to Glen Cove
23 Baptist Church for spiritual guidance over the years, and it is a
24 pleasure to join in honoring the church at this special time in its

1 history; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
3 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commemorate the 125th
4 anniversary of Glen Cove Baptist Church and extend to its members
5 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for the church as an expression of high regard by the Texas
8 House of Representatives.