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H.R. No. 69

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, After five decades of serving the people of Rio
2 Grande City, El Valle Bakery closed its doors on June 30, 2025; and

3 WHEREAS, Established by Adolfo Berlanga and his wife, Maria
4 del Carmen Berlanga, in February 1975, El Valle Bakery sold fresh
5 bread, pan dulce, and other pastries to generations of loyal
6 customers through the years; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Berlanga's son, Rafael, joined the
8 family business in 2008; following his parents' passing, he ably
9 guided the shop until his retirement; and

10 WHEREAS, Although the closing of El Valle Bakery marks the
11 end of an era in Rio Grande City, the Berlanga family may indeed
12 take great pride in the landmark status their business achieved
13 during its long and illustrious history; now, therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
15 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby recognize El Valle Bakery
16 for its 50 years of service to the community and congratulate Rafael
17 Berlanga on his retirement; and, be it further

18 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
19 prepared for Mr. Berlanga as an expression of high regard by the
20 Texas House of Representatives.