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S.R. No. 25

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of L. June Chenault of Henderson on June 7, 2025, at the age
3 of 88; and

4 WHEREAS, The daughter of James Overton Crider and Mary Lola
5 Richardson Crider, the former June Crider was born in Corsicana on
6 May 26, 1937, and she grew up with the companionship of two sisters,
7 Mary Jim and Jo Lynn; she later moved with her family to Tulsa,
8 Oklahoma, where she graduated in 1955 from Central High School; and

9 WHEREAS, In the 1970s, Mrs. Chenault embarked on a rewarding
10 career in childcare when she opened the Northlake Creative Learning
11 Center in Coppell, which she operated for more than two decades; she
12 later owned or directed a number of other childcare facilities in
13 East Texas; her lifelong love for children was further evident in
14 the time she spent serving in various leadership positions with her
15 local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops, as well as with the
16 parent-teacher association; a woman of strong faith, she was a
17 valued member of the Broad Street Church of Christ in Mineola, where
18 she frequently assisted with the youth ministry and church events;
19 and

20 WHEREAS, Mrs. Chenault took great pride in her three
21 children, Cheryl, David, and James, and with the passing years, she
22 had the pleasure of seeing her treasured family grow to include
23 seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; she was preceded
24 in death by her husbands, Harrison Chenault and Roy Bailey; and

1 WHEREAS, Although June Chenault is deeply missed, memories of
2 her strength of character and her devotion to caring for others
3 remain to comfort and inspire those she leaves behind; now,
4 therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 89th Texas Legislature, 1st
6 Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of L. June Chenault
7 and extend sincere condolences to the members of her family: to her
8 children, Cheryl Cupples and her husband, Randall, and David
9 Chenault and his wife, Lynna; to her grandchildren, April, Ashley,
10 Abbey, Peyton, Lara, Emery, and Harrison; to her
11 great-grandchildren; and to her other relatives and many friends;
12 and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for her family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this
15 day, it do so in memory of June Chenault.