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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Reverend Marvin Joe Moore and his wife, Mildred

2 Ann Moore, are being honored on May 25, 2025, for their 50 years of

3 pastoral leadership at First Church Bay City; and

WHEREAS, Over the past five decades, Reverend and Sister

5 Moore have guided their church with steadfast dedication and

6 compassion; both husband and wife hold multiple certifications and

7 licenses, and they have demonstrated a firm commitment to meeting

8 the needs of their congregants as well as to providing mentorship to

9 aspiring members of the clergy; along the way, they have been

10 blessed to watch their children and grandchildren follow in their

11 footsteps by becoming involved in the church's pastoral, music, and

12 outreach ministries; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Marvin Joe Moore has preached the gospel all

14 over the world, including in such faraway places as South Africa,

15 Hong Kong, the Philippines, France, Israel, India, and the

16 Netherlands; his overseas ministry work continues to this day, and

17 next year, he plans to visit and meet with ministers in Goa, India;

18 and

WHEREAS, A former schoolteacher and a licensed professional

20 counselor, Sister Mildred Ann Moore is focused on helping victims

21 of domestic violence, and she is an active part of the county's

22 crisis intervention team for those needing counseling during

23 emergencies and disasters; she has played a vital role in the music

24 ministry at First Church in Bay City, and she has inspired many

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- 1 people by sharing her gifts as a musician with her congregation and
- 2 during her husband's foreign ministry travels; and
- 3 WHEREAS, For half a century, Reverend Marvin Joe Moore and
- 4 Sister Mildred Ann Moore have wholeheartedly committed themselves
- 5 to advancing the mission of First Church in Bay City, and it is
- 6 indeed a pleasure to join in recognizing the couple as they
- 7 celebrate this special milestone; now, therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
- 9 Legislature hereby honor the Reverend Marvin Joe Moore and Sister
- 10 Mildred Ann Moore for their 50 years of pastoral service at First
- 11 Church Bay City and extend to them sincere best wishes for the
- 12 future; and, be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 14 prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 15 House of Representatives.