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RESOLUTION

The Associated General Contractors of

2 Highway, Heavy, Utilities, and Industrial Branch, a trade group serving businesses in the infrastructure construction industry, 3 marked the 100th anniversary of its founding on December 11, 2024; 4 5 and WHEREAS, In November 1924, a group of Texas contractors met 6 7 at the St. Anthony Hotel in San Antonio to begin developing the framework for an organization committed to advocating in behalf of 8 9 general contractors and meeting the state's growing public infrastructure needs; on December 11 of that year, a charter for the 10 11 group was granted by the Associated General Contractors of America, 12 ushering in a new era of growth and success for the highway and heavy construction industry in Texas; and 13 14 WHEREAS, The more than 700 companies affiliated with the AGC of Texas are responsible for over 90 percent of all highway 15 construction in the state and a considerable share of other 16 engineering projects, including water and sewer systems and utility 17 plants; throughout its existence, the organization has tirelessly 18 advocated for the funding of the state highway system, promoted 19 20 workplace safety, and championed the core values of skill, 21 integrity, and responsibility among contractors, suppliers, and industry professionals doing business in Texas; under the able 22 23 leadership of chief executive officer Jennifer Woodard, the group strives to be a driving force in shaping the future of public 24

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- 1 infrastructure in Texas, contributing to the continued economic
- 2 vitality of the state; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Thanks to the dedication of its engaged membership,
- 4 the Associated General Contractors of Texas continues to flourish
- 5 as one of the longest-standing trade groups in the Lone Star State,
- 6 and it is a privilege to honor the organization as it commemorates a
- 7 century of excellence; now, therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
- 9 Legislature hereby commemorate the 100th anniversary of the
- 10 Associated General Contractors of Texas Highway, Heavy, Utilities,
- 11 and Industrial Branch and extend to all those affiliated with the
- 12 organization sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
- 13 further
- 14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 15 prepared for the group as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 16 House of Representatives.