## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, PermiaCare is marking the 50th anniversary of its
- 2 founding on April 30, 2019, and this milestone provides an ideal
- 3 opportunity to recognize this noteworthy institution; and
- WHEREAS, In 1969, Midland County and the City of Midland
- 5 established the Midland Mental Health and Mental Retardation
- 6 Center, providing services to individuals with mental illness or
- 7 intellectual or developmental disabilities on an outpatient or
- 8 at-home basis; the center was renamed the Permian Basin Community
- 9 Centers for MHMR after Ector County and the City of Odessa joined
- 10 the organization, and over the succeeding years, it continued to
- 11 expand to encompass Pecos, Brewster, Culberson, Hudspeth, Jeff
- 12 Davis, and Presidio Counties; and
- WHEREAS, Serving more than 10,500 Texans each year,
- 14 PermiaCare today offers a wide variety of programs, including those
- 15 related to mental health, intellectual and developmental
- 16 disabilities, substance abuse, early childhood intervention, HIV
- 17 and AIDS, and veterans services; the organization changed its name
- 18 to PermiaCare in 2018; and
- WHEREAS, For half a century, PermiaCare has distinguished
- 20 itself as a resource of inestimable value to the region, and the
- 21 members of its skilled and dedicated staff are to be commended for
- 22 the difference they have made in the lives of countless area Texans;
- 23 now, therefore, be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the 86th Legislature of the State of Texas

- 1 hereby commemorate the 50th anniversary of PermiaCare and extend to
- 2 all those associated with the organization sincere best wishes for
- 3 the future; and, be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for PermiaCare as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 6 House of Representatives and Senate.

Craddick

H.C.R. No. 155

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 155 was adopted by the House on April 26, 2019, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 155 was adopted by the Senate on April 29, 2019, by a viva-voce vote.  $\bigcirc$ 

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: 5 - 1 - 2019

Date

Governor

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