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House Resolution 1891

By: Representatives Dawkins-Haigler of the 91st, Stephenson of the 90th, Anderson of the 92nd, and Dickerson of the 113th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the Olivia Haydel Senior Center; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the Olivia Haydel Senior Center serves residents of Rockdale County that are
- 3 aged 60 and over; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the aging program began more than 30 years ago by its founder, Olivia Haydel,
- 5 providing congregate meals, meals-on-wheels, case management, transportation, information
- 6 and referral, kinship care, caregivers, social and athletic activities, volunteers, homemakers,
- 7 and respite services; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the senior program in Rockdale County is operated by the county and is proud
- 9 to work hand-in-hand with the Atlanta Regional Commission; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the senior program boasts more than 700 center members and served more than
- 11 4,000 seniors last year; and
- WHEREAS, as the demand for services continues to expand with the increase of "baby
- boomers" in the Rockdale area, the senior center is seeking additional funding opportunities
- and creative ways to serve those in need; and
- 15 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 16 remarkable organization be appropriately recognized.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 18 the members of this body recognize and commend the Olivia Haydel Senior Center for
- 19 serving this state's aging population and express their most sincere best wishes for the
- 20 organization's continued success.

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21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Olivia Haydel Senior

23 Center.