1	House Resolution
2	A resolution expressing gratitude and affection
3	to all mothers.
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5	WHEREAS, Sunday, May 12, 2002, has been designated
6	Mother's Day, and
7	WHEREAS, the highest ideals and noblest principles of
8	humanity find their most exemplary expression in the sacrifice
9	and devotion of mothers, and
10	WHEREAS, mothers exemplify enduring courage and
11	conviction, charity without condescension, and emotion with
12	sanity, and
13	WHEREAS, mothers are characterized by unconditional
14	love for their offspring, are slow to lose patience, and serve
15	as the anchors that bond the family, and
16	WHEREAS, a mother's love is like a flame that is always
17	burning but intensifies each time a child is born, and
18	WHEREAS, a mother is a gift bestowed on man, never more
19	dear than when bringing forth life in the form of a child, and
20	WHEREAS, it is proper that the members and staff of the
21	Florida House of Representatives recognize the immeasurable
22	debt of gratitude owed to all mothers for their strength,
23	guidance, understanding, and love, NOW, THEREFORE,
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25	Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
26	Florida:
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28	That the members of the House of Representatives do
29	hereby express to their own mothers and to all mothers, on
30	behalf of the citizens of the State of Florida, personal
31	affection and heartfelt gratitude.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House of Representatives as a tangible token of the love and respect that the members hold for all mothers.