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SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Dustin Lee Slovacek, who died September 12, 2021, at the age of 37; and

WHEREAS, Dustin Slovacek was born on July 13, 1984, in Cuero, Texas; he attended Cuero High School, and after his graduation in 2002, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps; and

WHEREAS, Dustin served his country with distinction in Afghanistan during Operation Enduring Freedom; he earned numerous accolades for his military achievements, and he completed his military service having earned the rank of sergeant; and

WHEREAS, A dedicated public servant, Dustin went on to join the Texas Department of Public Safety in 2007, and he earned a reputation for excellence in law enforcement in his service as a state trooper, a member of the SWAT team, a commercial vehicle inspector, and a special agent in the Criminal Investigations Division; and

WHEREAS, A devoted family man, Dustin cherished time spent with his fiancé, Lisa Sepulveda, his daughter, Mia Slovacek, and his two stepsons, Easton and Blake Skelton; and

WHEREAS, Dustin Slovacek delighted his many friends and loved ones through his lively sense of humor and spirited

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personality; he was an esteemed member of the Cuero community, and he leaves behind memories that will long be cherished by all who were privileged to share in his life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 87th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Dustin Lee Slovacek; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Dustin Slovacek.