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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Patrick 2 Alan McKissick of Waxahachie, who died on February 7, 2021, at the 3 age of 36; and

WHEREAS, The son of Javier and Lorrie Gonzales, Patrick McKissick was born in Dallas on October 6, 1984; he grew up in DeSoto and Maypearl with two brothers, Javi and Nicholas, and a sister, Jessica, and he graduated from Maypearl High School in 2003; and

9 WHEREAS, A valued employee of McKissick Construction in Ellis 10 and Dallas Counties, Mr. McKissick was skilled at every aspect of 11 his trade, from drafting to building a shed to remodeling a home; 12 and

WHEREAS, Mr. McKissick was also a gifted cook who delighted in making meals for his family and treating his nieces and nephew to sweets; kind, generous, and funny, he liked meeting people, and he particularly enjoyed sharing his enthusiasm for the Dallas Cowboys; and

18 WHEREAS, Although Patrick McKissick's life ended far too 19 soon, memories of joyful times spent in his company will remain to 20 comfort all those who knew and loved him; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas 22 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Patrick Alan 23 McKissick and extend heartfelt sympathy to the members of his 24 family: to his parents, Javier and Lorrie Gonzales; to his

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1 siblings, Javi, Nicholas and his wife, McKenzie, and Jessica and 2 her husband, Travis; to his nephew, Jaxon, and his nieces, Julia and 3 Jolie; and to his many other relatives and friends; and, be it 4 further

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5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 6 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Patrick 8 McKissick.