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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, All who shared in the life of Homero Roel Villarreal

2 Jr. of Robstown were deeply saddened by his death on September 22,

3 2020, at the age of 33; and

4 WHEREAS, The only child of Homero Roel Villarreal Sr. and

5 Matilde Amezquita Villarreal, Homer Villarreal was born in Corpus

6 Christi on January 15, 1987; he traveled frequently throughout

7 South Texas with his parents as they worked in behalf of civil

8 rights and managed a newspaper, and along the way, he learned about

9 sales, graphic arts, and sociopolitical and economic systems; after

10 graduating from Robstown High School, he attended Del Mar College;

11 when applying for a clerical job with a home health business, he

12 walked into the wrong interview room and landed himself a position

13 as its marketing coordinator instead; and

14 WHEREAS, Eventually, Mr. Villarreal founded his own

15 marketing and multimedia company, IXPOSE; his charming, outgoing

16 personality served him well in responsibilities that ranged from

17 promoting wrestling to squiring a Chinese business delegation

18 around town; in addition, he served as a marketing representative

19 for actor Pepe Serna, sponsored events for actor Edward James

20 Olmos, and edited an independent film, Anastasia; he was especially

21 proud of his anti-bullying film produced for the Robstown

22 Independent School District, titled ENOUGH; in his last years, as

23 he battled a terminal illness, he found strength and solace in his

24 faith and defied his doctor's predictions many times; he managed to

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- 1 continue part-time employment in marketing for two dental offices
- 2 and even set new sales and client recruitment records; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Mr. Villarreal and Selina Benavidez were blessed
- 4 with two sons, Homer and Nicolas; he later enjoyed a fulfilling
- 5 relationship with Monica Duran, and they became the parents of two
- 6 children, Roel and Felix; and
- WHEREAS, Although Homer Villarreal is deeply missed by those
- 8 he left behind, they will forever treasure their memories of his
- 9 unfailing good humor and his warm and thoughtful ways; now,
- 10 therefore, be it
- 11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
- 12 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Homer Villarreal
- 13 Jr. and extend sincere sympathy to his loved ones; and, be it
- 14 further
- 15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 16 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 17 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Homer
- 18 Villarreal.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 180 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 8, 2023.

Chief Clerk of the House