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H.R. No. 230

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will forever cherish their  
2 memories of George Stidworthy Fox Jr. of Killeen, who passed away on  
3 July 28, 2022, at the age of 69; and

4 WHEREAS, The son of George Stidworthy and Jean May Fox,  
5 George Fox was born in Alexandria, Virginia, on December 11, 1952,  
6 and he grew up with the companionship of his brother, William; he  
7 attended Forrest Avenue High School and later went on to graduate  
8 from North Texas State Teachers College, which is now known as the  
9 University of North Texas, with a degree in business; in 1970, he  
10 joined the U.S. Army and faithfully served his country for more than  
11 21 years; a veteran of the Gulf War, he retired in 1991 as a chief  
12 warrant officer 3; and

13 WHEREAS, In addition to his career in the military, Mr. Fox  
14 was a state-certified animal cruelty investigator, working with  
15 local, county, and state officials to ensure the humane treatment  
16 of animals; as a staunch advocate for animal rights, he enforced  
17 animal-friendly laws, educated the public on animal rights issues,  
18 and supported strong adoption efforts; and

19 WHEREAS, Mr. Fox enjoyed the love and support of his wife,  
20 Susan, with whom he shared a rewarding marriage that spanned more  
21 than five decades; he took great pride in their son, Eric, and with  
22 the passing years, he had the privilege of seeing his family grow to  
23 include his grandson, Cole; and

24 WHEREAS, A devoted family man and a proud veteran, George

1 Fox Jr. left behind a legacy that will long be treasured by all who  
2 held him dear; now, therefore, be it

3       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas  
4 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of George Stidworthy Fox  
5 Jr. and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his  
6 wife, Susan K. Fox; to his son, Eric Fox; to his daughter-in-law,  
7 Sara Fox; to his grandson, Cole Fox; to his brother, William Fox;  
8 and to his other relatives and friends; and, be it further

9       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
10 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
11 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of George Fox.