

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A caring and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Norma Vela Segovia of Mission on July 9, 2022, at the age
3 of 66; and

4 WHEREAS, The daughter of Ramiro and Hermila Vela, Norma
5 Segovia was born on June 21, 1956; she graduated from La Joya High
6 School in 1974 and continued her education at Pan American
7 University, where she earned a degree in speech pathology; and

8 WHEREAS, Dedicated to helping students with speech
9 impediments, Mrs. Segovia enjoyed a rewarding career as a speech
10 pathologist with the Mission Consolidated Independent School
11 District that spanned three decades; following her retirement, she
12 worked in the private sector; and

13 WHEREAS, In 1979, she married Raymundo Segovia, and the
14 couple shared 28 years of marriage, before Mr. Segovia's death in
15 2007; Mrs. Segovia was a loving mother to her three children, Ramon,
16 Ramiro, and Rebekah, and a doting grandmother to her eight
17 grandchildren; and

18 WHEREAS, Deeply dedicated to her family and her faith, Norma
19 Segovia was a source of joy to all who shared in the richness of her
20 life, and they will forever hold her close in their hearts; now,
21 therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
23 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Norma Vela Segovia
24 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her

1 sons, Ramon Segovia and his wife, Avelina, and Ramiro Segovia and
2 his wife, Segovia; to her daughter, Rebekah Menchaca, and her
3 husband, Jorge; to her grandchildren, Isabella, Ryan, Raelynn, Ray,
4 Roman, Max, Alina, and Emma; to her sisters, Cynthia Vela and Debra
5 Vela-Leal and her husband, Esiquio; to her mother-in-law, Dolores
6 Segovia; to her brother-in-law, Raul Segovia, and his wife, Melly;
7 to her sisters-in-law, Margaret Rodriguez and her husband, Oscar,
8 Mary Ann Vela and her husband, JJ, Ramona Espinoza and her husband,
9 Gene, and Maggie Vallejo and her husband, John; to her companion,
10 Ramiro Zamora; and to her other friends and relatives; and, be it
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
14 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Norma
15 Segovia.

Muñoz, Jr.

H.R. No. 494

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 494 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 16, 2023.

Chief Clerk of the House