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H.R. No. 573

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A life made rich through meaningful service drew to
2 a close with the passing of Atascosa County constable Preciliano
3 Medina on October 10, 2019, at the age of 66; and

4 WHEREAS, "Percy" Medina was born in San Antonio on
5 January 12, 1953, to Preciliano Medina Sr. and Evalina Leija, and
6 he grew up with six siblings, Patricia, Teresa, Diana, Michael,
7 John David, and Phyllis; he attended Harlandale High School, and in
8 1978, he opened Medina Electric Motor Repair in Pleasanton, which
9 he owned and operated for more than 40 years; and

10 WHEREAS, In 1999, Mr. Medina was appointed the Precinct 1
11 constable of Atascosa County, and for nearly two decades, he served
12 his fellow citizens with dignity and respect, always greeting
13 people with a smile, a handshake, and a kind word; he earned an
14 associate's degree at St. Philip's College, and he taught at Palo
15 Alto College, where he started a scholarship program for families
16 in need; a man of faith, he belonged to the Holy Name Society and
17 taught catechism at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in
18 Leming; and

19 WHEREAS, Mr. Medina enjoyed the love and support of his wife,
20 Roberta, with whom he shared a rewarding marriage of 46 years; the
21 couple were blessed with four children, Erica, Priscilla, Gabriel,
22 and Mark, who carry on and continue to expand his scholarship award
23 program; their family later grew to include six grandchildren,
24 Joseph, Andrew, Samuel, Lucas, Emery, and Hailey; and

1 WHEREAS, Deeply dedicated to his family, his faith, and his
2 community, Percy Medina earned the lasting respect and admiration
3 of all who were privileged to know him; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
5 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Preciliano Medina
6 and extend heartfelt condolences to his loved ones; and, be it
7 further

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