

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A life lived with joy and purpose drew to a close
2 with the passing of Ronald Anthony Maceo of Galveston on
3 November 13, 2022, at the age of 75; and

4 WHEREAS, A native of Galveston, Ronnie Maceo was born to
5 Rosario and Dorothy Maceo on September 20, 1947; he grew up with a
6 sister, Olivia, and two brothers, Thomas and Rosario, and he
7 received his education at Allen Military Academy; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Maceo enjoyed a rewarding career as the
9 proprietor of Maceo Spice and Import Company, which he and his
10 daughter, Concetta, grew into a thriving, iconic Galveston
11 business; a loyal islander, he dedicated himself to promoting local
12 companies and to helping restaurants develop signature flavors; he
13 was a founding member of the Coconut Grove Bunch and the Galveston
14 Restaurant Association; and

15 WHEREAS, In addition to his daughter, Mr. Maceo took great
16 pride in his son, Frank, and his granddaughter, Precely; in his free
17 time, he loved cooking and hosting, and he also liked taking trips
18 to Costa Rica; and

19 WHEREAS, Those fortunate enough to have known Ronnie Maceo
20 will remember the way he touched their lives with his warmth and
21 generosity, and he will forever hold a treasured place in their
22 hearts; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
24 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Ronald Anthony Maceo

1 and extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
2 son, Frank Maceo; to his daughter, Concetta Maceo-Sims, and her
3 husband, Destin; to his granddaughter, Precely Rose Sims; to his
4 sister, Olivia Maceo Weekley; to his nieces and nephews, Stratton
5 and Ryan Weekley, Michael McShane Jr., Cassidy Witt, and Corrie
6 Prestridge; and to his other relatives and many friends; 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 Ronnie
11 Maceo.

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H.R. No. 2035

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2035 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 25, 2023.

Chief Clerk of the House