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SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Matthew Alan Guidry, who died on November 21, 2022, at the age of 57; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Alan Guidry was born on September 16, 1965, in Beaumont to J. Paul Guidry and Judy Angenend Guidry; he attended Cy Fair High School and went on to earn a degree from Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos; and

WHEREAS, Matt's friendliness and good nature endeared him to the members of his community, and he resided in the Houston and Austin areas for many years; he was an avid music fan and a talented vocalist, and he was known for his love of rock and roll and soul music and his extensive knowledge of the genres; a natural entertainer, Matt made friends wherever life took him, and he touched the lives of countless people through the warmth and positivity he shared with everyone around him; and

WHEREAS, Matt was a fighter who weathered the storms of life with perseverance and conviction; he was a devout Catholic who was guided by his faith in his daily life, and he was an active congregant of his church; and

WHEREAS, Matt was a devoted father to his children, Anna Gabriella and Matthew Christopher, and a treasured member of his community; though his presence no longer warms the hearts of those who loved him on earth, he leaves behind memories that will

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be forever cherished by his family and friends and by all who were blessed to share in his life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 88th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Matthew Alan Guidry; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate.