By: Cook of Navarro

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The passing of Larry Layne Anderson on July 4, 2003, 2 at the age of 58, has brought a great loss to the family and friends 3 of this esteemed Copperas Cove resident; and

WHEREAS, A native Texan, he was born in Ranger on February 4, 1945, and served his nation with distinction as a captain in the United States Air Force; during the Vietnam War he completed over 1,100 combat sorties and for his bravery received the Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Anderson went on to pursue a successful career in the field of education, applying his considerable talents and initiative to the positions of teacher, coach, and administrator; over the years, the students and staffs at Blooming Grove, Gatesville, Copperas Cove, and Lometa school districts all benefited from his exceptional professionalism and dedication to scholastic excellence; and

WHEREAS, Those who were fortunate to share the friendship of Mr. Anderson will long miss his presence, and his remarkable spirit lives on in the hearts of those whose lives he touched during his time on this earth; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
21 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay special tribute to the
22 life of Larry Layne Anderson and extend sincere sympathy to the
23 members of his family: to his wife, Carolyn Anderson; to his
24 daughter, Dena Anderson; to his sons and daughters-in-law, Bret and

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- 1 Jodi Anderson and Derek and Alyssa Anderson; to his brother and
- 2 sister-in-law, Wayne and Dottie Anderson; to his grandchildren,
- 3 Bryce Anderson and Jayce Anderson; to his mother-in-law, Quieta
- 4 Kattner; and to the other relatives and many friends of this beloved
- 5 gentleman; and, be it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 7 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 8 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Larry Layne
- 9 Anderson.