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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The untimely passing of Domingo Lopez Pina of 2 Eldorado on October 13, 2003, at the age of 65, has deeply saddened 3 this beloved man's family and host of friends; and

WHEREAS, Born on December 20, 1937, in Eldorado, the son of Longino and "Golla" Pina, Mr. Pina grew up on a farm and graduated from Eldorado High School; and

7 WHEREAS, He served his country with distinction as a member 8 of the United States Army and went on to work for the Texas Highway 9 Department, where he spent 17 years, and the Atlantic Richfield 10 Company, from which he was retired; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Pina shared a close and fulfilling marriage with 12 his longtime love, Delia Flores Pina, and the devoted couple 13 rejoiced as their family grew to include two children and three 14 grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, A highly regarded member of his community, Mr. Pina volunteered with school athletic programs and served with such worthy groups as the Eldorado EMS, Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department, Boy Scouts of America, and Girl Scouts of the USA; he was a valued congregant of First Baptist Church and was involved in a number of church-related activities, among them the missions team and the Senior Ambassadors; and

22 WHEREAS, Held in high esteem and affection for his 23 willingness to help others and for his delightful sense of humor, 24 Domingo Pina was a blessing in the lives of countless people, and

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H.R. No. 26 1 his spirit will long live on in the hearts of all he touched; now, 2 therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th 4 Texas Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the 5 life of Domingo Lopez Pina and extend sincere sympathy to the 6 members of his family: to his daughter, Debbie Pina; to his son and 7 daughter-in-law, Danny and Deborah Pina; to his grandchildren, 8 Jordan, Jacob, and Joshua; to his brother, Manuel Pina; and to all 9 who mourn the passing of this cherished man; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 11 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 12 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Domingo 13 Lopez Pina.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 26 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 11, 2004.

Chief Clerk of the House