

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The untimely passing of Michael Dohn Reesing of Waco
2 on September 2, 2002, at the age of 51, has brought a deep sadness to
3 the family and many friends of this esteemed gentleman; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Hamilton on July 26, 1951, to Walter and
5 Frances Reesing, he was a resident of Waco for most of his life;
6 this Waco Richfield High School alumnus later attended North Texas
7 State University and McLennan Community College; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Reesing's career with the Texas comptroller of
9 public accounts spanned 26 years and reflected his commitment to
10 serving the people of the Lone Star State with integrity and
11 fairness; and

12 WHEREAS, He gave of his time and energy to his community, as a
13 league softball player and as an active member of Trinity Lutheran
14 Church, where his fellow congregants knew him as a longtime elder;
15 this gentle soul's zest for life was captured in the words of his
16 favorite song, Louis Armstrong's "What a Wonderful World"; and

17 WHEREAS, Though Mr. Reesing's kindness and generous spirit
18 will be deeply missed by all who knew him, his memory will live on in
19 the hearts and minds of the many people whose lives he so deeply
20 touched; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
22 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Michael Dohn Reesing
23 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his
24 wife, Vicki Reesing; to his daughters, Nikki Skeen and her husband,

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1 Billy, and Cheryl and Katrina Cook; to his mother, Frances Wiede
2 Reesing; to his brother and sister-in-law, Steve and Debi Reesing;
3 to his nephews and niece, Kyle, Todd, and Megan Reesing; and to all
4 those who mourn the passing of this beloved man; and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Michael
8 Dohn Reesing.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 279 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 28, 2003.

Chief Clerk of the House