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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The citizens of Palmer lost a distinguished leader
- 2 and valued friend with the passing of former mayor Charles G. Davis
- 3 on February 14, 2003; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Davis was born to proud parents Emma and Ed
- 5 Guerney Davis in Ferris, where he spent much of his childhood, and
- 6 went on to pursue higher education at Texas A&M University and
- 7 Trinity University; and
- 8 WHEREAS, He married Ruth Barron and the couple were blessed
- 9 with two sons and shared a happy and fulfilling union until her
- 10 passing; he was fortunate to find true love a second time when he
- 11 met Jacqueline Sue Davis, who became his wife; and
- 12 WHEREAS, This notable civic leader served as mayor, school
- 13 board trustee, and city councilman; he played an active role in
- 14 several local businesses such as Barron & Davis Insurance, American
- 15 Health & Accident Insurance, Barron & Davis Funeral Home, and Ellis
- 16 County Cotton Gin Company; and
- WHEREAS, Duly recognized for his efforts, he was once named
- 18 Texas Ginner of the Year and received an Eligere Award, an honor
- 19 bestowed on him by the local high school; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Davis not only lived life, but embraced it to the
- 21 fullest; an admired businessman and civic leader, he enriched the
- 22 lives of countless individuals, and his spirit will undoubtedly
- live on in the hearts of the many people whose lives he so deeply
- 24 affected; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas 2 Legislature hereby honor the life of Charles G. Davis and extend 3 sympathy to the members of his family: to his wife, Jacqueline Sue 4 Davis; to his son, Edwin Wayne Davis; to his daughter-in-law, Cathy Davis; to his grandchildren, Courtney, Lance, Kelly, and Laurie 5 6 Davis; and to his other relatives and many close friends; and, be it 7 further RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 8 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 9

Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Charles G.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 532 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 25, 2003.

Chief Clerk of the House