By: Phillips H.R. No. 251

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The family and friends of Michael Edward Snyder of 2 Sherman were greatly saddened by his passing on March 4, 2006, at 3 the age of 53, and we join them in mourning their loss; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Austin College, Mr. Snyder was a managing partner of the accounting firm Snyder & Grisham and a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants; and

WHEREAS, For a quarter of a century, this esteemed Texan enthusiastically participated in Boy Scouts of America activities, and was honored with that organization's District Award of Merit and Silver Beaver Award; and

WHEREAS, A former president of the Grayson County Rotary Club, Mr. Snyder was also a vital and valued member of the board of directors of the WNJ Medical Center and an elder of Grand Avenue Presbyterian Church; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his life he drew great strength and sustenance from his close-knit family, who knew him as a loving son, husband, father, and brother; and

WHEREAS, Although his life ended far too soon, the memory of Michael Snyder's unique spirit will long be treasured by those fortunate enough to have known him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of
Michael Edward Snyder and extend sincere sympathy to the members of

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- 1 his family: to his wife, Susan Gould Snyder; to his son, David
- 2 Andrew Snyder; to his daughter, Amy Elizabeth Snyder; to his
- 3 father, Roy Snyder; to his brother, James Snyder; to his sister,
- 4 Jeanette Britain; and to his other relatives and many friends; and,
- 5 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 Michael
- 9 Edward Snyder.