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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends were saddened by the passing of
2 Harvie Bird, Jr., of Kerrville, on August 15, 2006, yet the memory
3 of his full and rewarding life may offer a measure of comfort in
4 their time of loss; and

5 WHEREAS, Born on June 17, 1928, in Kerrville, to Littleton
6 Julia Rawls and Harvie Bird, Sr., Mr. Bird married the former Nina
7 Beth Lee on March 12, 1949, at the First Baptist Church of Ingram;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Bird began his career in telecommunications with
10 Ingram Telephone Company; in January 1954, he joined Hill Country
11 Telephone Cooperative Incorporated, where he was promoted to plant
12 superintendent and then assistant manager before retiring in 1993;
13 his professional affiliations included memberships in the National
14 Telephone Cooperative Association Membership Committee and the
15 Texas Telephone Association Disaster Committee; and

16 WHEREAS, This valued Kerrville resident had served as
17 president of the Lions Club and was a member of First Baptist Church
18 in Ingram, where he was a lifetime deacon; he also shared his time
19 and energy as a director on the Texas Agriculture Cooperative
20 Council; and

21 WHEREAS, An avid hunter and fisherman who passed many
22 pleasant hours at his lake house, Mr. Bird built a life that was
23 remarkably rich in family, friends, and accomplishments, and he
24 will always be remembered with great affection and admiration; now,

1 therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Harvie Bird, Jr., and
4 that sincere sympathy be extended to the members of his family: to
5 his wife, Nina Beth Bird; to his daughter, Nina Jean Bird; to his
6 sons, Gary Bird and his wife, Tamara, and Bobby Bird and his wife,
7 Nancy; to his grandchildren, Bryan and Megan Bird, Ryan King, and
8 Nathan Bird; to his sisters, Jean Nichols and Irene Hauser; to his
9 brother, Richard Bird; and to his other relatives and friends; and,
10 be it further

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