By: Gallego H.R. No. 437

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Memories of a life filled with joyful times and 2 meaningful accomplishments may comfort the family and friends of 3 Norman Ray Rust of Del Rio, who passed away on January 3, 2007, at

4 the age of 62; and

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5 WHEREAS, Born on February 20, 1944, in Quemado, Mr. Rust was a 6 member of the Del Rio and Val Verde volunteer fire departments for a 7 combined 41 years of service; he was employed by the Coca-Cola 8 Company for a number of years and until April 2005 with the Texas 9 Department of Public Safety; and

WHEREAS, Men and women who give of themselves to serve as firefighters are indeed deserving of special recognition; these brave individuals answer the call of duty by responding to emergency situations and ensuring the protection of countless citizens; Norman Rust made invaluable contributions to his community, and he will be missed by all those who were fortunate to have known him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Norman Ray Rust and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his wife, Mary Elizabeth Sanderson Rust; to his daughter, Linda Ruth Rust; to his sister, Lois Marie Lightfoot; to his brother, Jerry Lee Rust and his wife, Patricia Gayle; to his sister-in-law, Romelia Rust; to his nieces and nephews; and to his other relatives and many friends;

24 and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas House
- 3 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Norman
- 4 Ray Rust.