

By: Gonzales

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Jim McGurk is an inaugural inductee of The  
2 University of Texas-Pan American Athletics Hall of Fame, and his  
3 selection for this accolade provides a fitting opportunity to honor  
4 him and recognize his achievements as a collegiate athlete; and

5           WHEREAS, Mr. McGurk played for the Pan American College men's  
6 basketball team from 1960 to 1964 and led the Broncs to the 1963  
7 NAIA National Championship, the only men's basketball championship  
8 in school history; and

9           WHEREAS, An honorable mention NAIA All-American in 1962-63,  
10 Mr. McGurk ranks 10th on the school's all-time scoring list with  
11 1,281 points; he also ranks third in career rebounds, eighth in  
12 career field goals made and field goals attempted, and 10th in  
13 career free throws; and

14           WHEREAS, In honoring Mr. McGurk and the athletes,  
15 individuals, and teams that have brought positive recognition to  
16 UT-Pan American, the UTPA Athletics Hall of Fame also supports the  
17 student-athletes of tomorrow by endowing athletic scholarships  
18 with its proceeds, thus ensuring a bright future for the next  
19 generation of Broncs; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
21 Legislature hereby congratulate Jim McGurk on his induction into  
22 The University of Texas-Pan American Athletics Hall of Fame and  
23 commend him for his notable achievements; and, be it further

24           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. McGurk as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
2 House of Representatives.