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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The passing of David L. Vetter of Ingram on March 12,
- 2 2007, at the age of 80, deeply saddened the family and friends of
- 3 this fine man; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Known affectionately by young people in his
- 5 community as "Paw-Paw," Mr. Vetter was a U.S. Navy veteran of World
- 6 War II; after the war he attended the University of Houston and
- 7 worked for the United States Postal Service until his retirement in
- 8 1981; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Vetter was a loving husband to Ruth Atkinson
- 10 Vetter, with whom he shared a devoted union of 59 years; the couple
- 11 became the proud parents of four children and they rejoiced as their
- 12 family circle continued to grow with the arrival of grandchildren
- and great-grandchildren; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Highly involved in community activities, Mr. Vetter
- 15 was a member of the Friends/Faculty of Ingram Independent School
- 16 District, the West Kerr County Chamber of Commerce, and the Hill
- 17 Country Cowboy Camp Meeting; he also shared his time and talents
- 18 with scouting organizations for boys and girls and the band
- 19 boosters; a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church, he
- 20 attended Park Place UMC in Houston before joining the congregation
- of Hunt UMC; and
- WHEREAS, This esteemed Texan is profoundly missed by all who
- 23 knew him, but he has left a legacy of good works and kindness that
- 24 will be remembered for years to come; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas 1 2 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of David L. Vetter and 3 extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his wife, 4 Ruth Vetter; to his children and their spouses, Donna Cosgrove, Michael Vetter and his wife, Jeanette, Bob Vetter and his wife, 5 6 Leann, and Patti Goforth and her husband, Jim; to his sister, Ione Rhodes, and her husband, Dusty; to his grandchildren 7 great-grandchildren; and to his other relatives and friends; and, 8 be it further 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 10 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 11 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of David L. 12

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2027 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 25, 2007.

Chief Clerk of the House