

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 693

In Memory
of
Justin Hurst

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Game Warden Justin Hurst, who was killed in the line of duty March 17, 2007, at the age of 34; and

WHEREAS, Justin Hurst was born March 17, 1973; he began his career with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department as a biologist and migratory bird specialist in August of 1995; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hurst entered the Texas Game Warden Academy and graduated in August of 2002; dedicated to protecting wildlife and enforcing the law, he was considered a great law enforcement officer and trainer and was highly respected by his colleagues and the community; and

WHEREAS, A man of courage, strength, and compassion, Mr. Hurst gave generously to others, and his integrity, professionalism, and commitment to his work and family will not be forgotten by those who knew him; and

WHEREAS, Justin Hurst was a devoted husband and father, and he will long be remembered with affection and admiration by all who were privileged to share in his life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Justin Hurst: his wife, Amanda; his son,

Kyle Hunter; his parents, Allen and Pat Hurst; and his brother, Greg Hurst; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the members of his family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Justin Hurst.

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Averitt	Harris	Shapiro
Brimer	Hinojosa	Shapleigh
Carona	Jackson	Uresti
Deuell	Janek	Van de Putte
Duncan	Lucio	Watson
Ellis	Nelson	Wentworth
Eltife	Nichols	West
Estes	Ogden	Whitmire
Fraser	Patrick	Williams
Gallegos	Seliger	Zaffirini

Dewhurst, President of the Senate

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 18, 2007, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate