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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Residents of Hunt lost a respected fellow citizen 2 with the passing of Jack Dell Stone, Sr., on September 1, 2007, at 3 the age of 86; and

WHEREAS, A native of California, Mr. Stone was born on June 22, 1921, in Los Angeles; during his years at Beverly Hills High School, he served as a drum major in the marching band and earned his pilot's license; after graduation, he was accepted into the prestigious California Institute of Technology, where he earned a degree in chemical engineering; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Stone went on to serve his country in the Pacific 11 Theater as a member of the U.S. Navy; at the end of World War II, he 12 moved to Houston and gained employment with the Fluor Corporation; 13 and

14 WHEREAS, He shared more than half a century of marriage with 15 his wife, Patricia, with whom he raised four children and was 16 further blessed with 13 grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, In retirement, Mr. Stone relocated to Hunt and became active in the Kerrville Bible Church, where he performed several service ministries; and

20 WHEREAS, Those fortunate enough to have known Jack Stone will 21 remember his strong faith and his love of family, community, and 22 country; though he will be deeply missed, his memory will live on in 23 the hearts of the many people whose lives he touched; now, 24 therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas 1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Jack Dell Stone, Sr., 2 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his 3 4 wife, Patricia Conway Stone; to his sons, Jack Stone, Jr., and his wife, Kathy, Patrick Stone and his wife, Sonya, and Bill Stone and 5 his wife, Janelle; to his daughter, Jennifer Rose and her husband, 6 Scott; to his 13 grandchildren; to his brother, Glen; and to his 7 8 other relatives and friends; and, 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 Jack Dell 12 Stone, Sr.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 23 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on February 26, 2009.

Chief Clerk of the House