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H.R. No. 1365

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Residents of the Houston area lost a beloved friend
2 and devoted public servant with the death of Ronald Eugene Parker on
3 October 24, 2008; and

4 WHEREAS, A native of the Bayou City, where he was born on
5 April 11, 1952, "Butch" Parker was the son of Joseph and Maybell
6 Parker; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Parker and his wife, Susan, shared a rewarding
8 marriage that was further enriched with the addition of a daughter,
9 Laura Beth, and a son, Eric Joseph; and

10 WHEREAS, Over the course of nearly two decades, Mr. Parker
11 demonstrated notable dedication and concern for his fellow Texans
12 in his work as a deputy with the Harris County Sheriff's Office; he
13 was also employed as a regional representative for the Bullard
14 Company of Michigan; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Parker attained the level of a 32nd degree Mason
16 in the Scottish Rite organization and held memberships with the
17 Melrose Lodge No. 1294, the Billy W. Tinsley Daylight Lodge No.
18 1458, and the Arabia Shrine Center; and

19 WHEREAS, Butch Parker lived a life of service in behalf of his
20 family and the citizens of Harris County, and he will be greatly
21 missed by those individuals who were fortunate enough to share in
22 his love and friendship; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
24 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Ronald Eugene Parker

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1 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his
2 wife, Susan Parker; to his children, Laura Beth Parker and Eric
3 Joseph Parker; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be
4 it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Ronald
8 Parker.