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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Officer Leonard Allen Reed of the Cedar Park Police
- 2 Department was killed in the line of duty on August 18, 2010, at the
- 3 age of 41, and his untimely death was a tragic loss to his family, to
- 4 his fellow peace officers, and to the citizens of Cedar Park; and
- 5 WHEREAS, A Central Texas native, Leonard Reed was born in
- 6 Austin to Leon and Janice Reed; as a young man, he demonstrated
- 7 exceptional determination and commitment to achieving his goals,
- 8 and his ability to overcome obstacles made him a role model to many;
- 9 and
- 10 WHEREAS, Officer Reed served his country with the U.S. Navy
- 11 and joined the Cedar Park Police Department in 2006; he worked in
- 12 the schools division as a resource officer at Vista Ridge High
- 13 School during the 2007-2008 school year, and he had recently begun
- 14 training to become a motorcycle patrol officer; known and admired
- 15 by his colleagues for his outgoing, affable nature, he earned the
- 16 title of Officer of the Year in 2008; and
- WHEREAS, Above all else, he was a loving husband to his wife
- 18 of 16 years, Cynthia, and a dedicated father to his two sons,
- 19 Domenic and DeMitri; and
- WHEREAS, Devotion to family and community formed the
- 21 foundation on which this highly respected public servant built his
- 22 life, and he will long be remembered for his commitment to helping
- 23 others; now, therefore, be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Leonard Allen Reed
- 2 and extend deepest sympathy to the members of his family: to his
- 3 wife, Cynthia Dianne Reed; to his sons, Domenic and DeMitri; to his
- 4 father, Leon Reed, Sr., and stepmother, Alfreda Reed; to his
- 5 brother, Leon Reed, Jr., and his wife, Donna; to his sister, Barbara
- 6 Lynn Reed-Musson, and her husband, Val; to his stepsister, Lennette
- 7 Williams, and her husband, Shon; and to his other relatives and many
- 8 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 Leonard
- 12 Allen Reed.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 188 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on February 24, 2011.

Chief Clerk of the House