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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the sorrow felt at
- 2 the death of Benjamin Palmer Bradley of Gladewater, who passed away
- 3 on February 6, 2011, at the age of 24; and
- WHEREAS, A native of Prescott, Arizona, Ben Bradley was born
- 5 on January 7, 1987, to loving parents Alton and Lind Bradley; he was
- 6 blessed with two siblings, Aaron and Bethany, and a wide circle of
- 7 loved ones, whose lives he brightened with his generous heart and
- 8 abiding Christian faith; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Bradley was a former member of the ALERT Cadets
- 10 and later enjoyed participation in the ALERT Eagle Response Unit
- 11 and the Reformed University Fellowship at The University of Texas
- 12 at Tyler, where he was a staff member of the Patriot Talon; he also
- 13 shared his time to benefit the youth of Kids Reach and was active in
- 14 the congregation at Calvary Baptist Church; and
- WHEREAS, Although his journey on this earth was far too
- 16 brief, memories of this caring Texan will forever endure in the
- 17 hearts of those who were privileged to share in his love and
- 18 affection; now, therefore, be it
- 19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
- 20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Benjamin Palmer
- 21 Bradley and extend deepest sympathy to the members of his family: to
- 22 his parents, Alton and Lind Bradley; to his brother, Aaron Bradley;
- 23 to his sister, Bethany Bradley; to his maternal grandmother, Betty
- 24 Palmer; to his paternal grandparents, W. M. "Sam" Bradley and Hazel

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- 1 Bradley; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be it
- 2 further
- 3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 4 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 5 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Ben
- 6 Bradley.