

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The certain knowledge of a life well lived may
2 temper the profound sadness that the July 8, 2013, death of Billy Ed
3 Wilson of Belton brought to all who knew and loved him; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Davilla on August 26, 1921, Mr. Wilson
5 worked as a mechanic at Fort Hood before opening his own auto repair
6 garage; he subsequently operated B. E. Wilson Construction for
7 nearly half a century, and he was also employed with the City of
8 Belton for a decade; known for his strong work ethic, this esteemed
9 Texan finally retired at the age of 88; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Wilson shared a rewarding marriage with his
11 wife, Joyce, until her passing in 2010 and took pride in his
12 children, Eddie, Pat, Tammy, and Ricci, and his family that grew to
13 include three more generations; he worshipped at Miller Heights
14 Baptist Church and enjoyed hunting for many years; and

15 WHEREAS, Billy Ed Wilson treasured the time he spent in the
16 company of his family and friends, and those he leaves behind will
17 in turn cherish their memories of their time spent with him; now,
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
20 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the memory
21 of Billy Ed Wilson and extend sincere condolences to the members of
22 his family: to his son, Eddie D. Wilson and his wife, Jeanne; to his
23 daughters, Pat McEver, Tammy Wilson Ricketts and her husband,
24 Johnnie, and Ricci Wilson Douglas; to his sister, Johnnie Ruth

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1 Bartz; to his stepsons, Byron Maudlin and Bob Maudlin;
2 to his 8 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and 2
3 great-great-grandchildren; and to his other relatives and friends;
4 and, be 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 Billy Ed
8 Wilson.

Smith
Sheffield of Bell

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 93 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on July 25, 2013.

Chief Clerk of the House