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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Houston businessman and community leader Marvin
2 Glenn Smith passed away on October 29, 2012, at the age of 80; and

3 WHEREAS, Born in Mont Belvieu on November 10, 1931, to Osemon
4 and Eva Smith, Glenn Smith graduated from the University of Houston
5 with a degree in diesel engineering; he served his country in the
6 U.S. Army from 1954 to 1956 and was then employed as a glass
7 salesman for two companies and as a sales manager for the F. H.
8 Maloney Company and Ramtec Industries; subsequently, he owned his
9 own building materials business for a decade before retiring in
10 1992; Mr. Smith held two patents for window gaskets, and his gaskets
11 were used in many office buildings around the country; and

12 WHEREAS, This esteemed Texan served his community in a number
13 of capacities; a member of the board of trustees of the Spring
14 Branch Medical Center and a charter director with the Spring Branch
15 Management District, he also presided over the Spring Oaks Civic
16 Association and the Spring Branch East Super Neighborhood
17 organization; in addition, he served as a commissioner for the
18 softball teams in the Spring Branch Memorial Sports Association and
19 as a coach for the softball team on which his daughters played; he
20 was an avid hunter, fisherman, and golfer; and

21 WHEREAS, Glenn Smith was the devoted husband of Lois Ann Shay
22 Smith, his wife of nearly six decades, and he took pride in their
23 two children, Joy Lynne and Susan Elaine, and in their three
24 grandchildren, Kevin, Kelly, and Charlee; and

1 WHEREAS, Through the years, Glenn Smith provided the civic
2 leadership that is essential to the success of our communities, and
3 he will forever be remembered with deep affection by all who were
4 privileged to know him; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
6 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Marvin Glenn Smith and
7 extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his wife,
8 Lois Ann Shay Smith; to his daughters, Joy Lynne Smith Tilton and
9 her husband, Barry, and Dr. Susan Elaine Smith Nagihara and her
10 husband, Dr. Seiichi Nagihara; to his grandchildren, Kevin
11 Threlkeld and his wife, Chessa, Kelly Nagihara, and Charlee Fisher
12 and her husband, J. Cat; to his brother, Royce Smith, and his wife,
13 Jo; to his niece, Gloria Enloe, and her husband, Dennis; and to his
14 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
16 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
17 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Marvin
18 Glenn Smith.