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H.R. No. 102

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A life made rich through meaningful service drew to  
2 a close when Fred Gray of Gatesville passed away on December 4,  
3 2014, at the age of 57; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Gray was born on November 1, 1957, in Rochester,  
5 New Hampshire, to Fred H. and Lucille Larochelle Gray; he graduated  
6 from Rochester High School in 1975 before moving to Texas, where in  
7 1980, he began his career in firefighting and emergency medical  
8 services; and

9 WHEREAS, For 17 years, Mr. Gray worked as the EMS director  
10 for Coryell Memorial Hospital; he also served as the Coryell County  
11 emergency management coordinator and, for the last five years, as a  
12 program director with the Air Evac Lifeteam at Base 66 in Killeen;  
13 and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Gray enjoyed the love and support of his wife,  
15 Janice Ray, whom he married on November 8, 2002, and he was the  
16 proud father of four children, Rachel, Kevin, Lance, and Jeremy; he  
17 was also a valued member of First Baptist Church in Gatesville; and

18 WHEREAS, Devoted to his family and to his community, Fred  
19 Gray lived a caring and purposeful life, and he will forever be  
20 remembered with deep affection by all who held him close to their  
21 hearts; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby honor the memory of Fred Gray and that sincere  
24 condolences be extended to the members of his family: to his wife,

1 Janice; to his children, Rachel Baggerly and her husband, Richard,  
2 Kevin Gray and his wife, Raegan, Lance Gray, and Jeremy Pruitt and  
3 his wife, Casey; to his father, Fred Gray Sr., and his wife, Terry;  
4 to his siblings, Sally Hildreath and her husband, John, Alan Gray,  
5 and Rosie Gray; to his grandchildren, Izaac, Izaiah, and Sarah  
6 Baggerly, Kinzlee Gray, and Brooklyn and Roman Pruitt; and to his  
7 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

8         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
10 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Fred Gray.