By: Smith H.R. No. 190

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Family and friends were deeply saddened by the
- 2 untimely passing of George Michael Newsome of Groves on September
- 3 1, 2014, at the age of 51; and
- WHEREAS, Born in Port Arthur on August 13, 1963, George
- 5 Newsome lived in Groves for nearly three decades; he worked as a
- 6 water reclamation superintendent for the City of Beaumont, and he
- 7 served his professional community as a member of the Texas Water
- 8 Utilities Association; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Newsome took great pleasure in going duck
- 10 hunting with friends during his leisure time; a man of faith, he was
- 11 also a valued congregant of the First Christian Church of Port
- 12 Arthur; and
- WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Newsome enjoyed the love
- 14 and support of his wife, Diane, and his children, Jessica,
- 15 Michayla, and George; he also took great pride in his grandchild,
- 16 Braylon; and
- 17 WHEREAS, George Newsome won the affection of all who knew him
- 18 with his kindness, hearty laugh, and positive attitude, and
- 19 cherished memories of time spent in his company will long endure in
- 20 the hearts of his loved ones; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 22 Legislature pay tribute to the memory of George Michael Newsome and
- 23 extend sincere condolences to his family: to his wife, Diane
- 24 Newsome; to his daughters, Jessica McAnally and her husband, Jared,

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- 1 and Michayla Newsome and her boyfriend, Chance Davis; to his son,
- 2 George Michael Newsome Jr.; to his grandchild, Braylon McAnally; to
- 3 his mother, Gail Kidd Bertrand; to his father, Stanley Newsome, and
- 4 his wife, Martha; to his sisters, Theresa Donaghy and her husband,
- 5 John, and Ginger Newsome; to his brother, William Newsome; and to
- 6 his many other relatives and friends; and, be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 9 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of George
- 10 Michael Newsome.