

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the  
2 death of John S. Marshall of The Colony on March 11, 2014, at the age  
3 of 74; and

4           WHEREAS, Born to Virginia and John L. Marshall in Los  
5 Angeles, California, in 1939, John S. Marshall grew up on his  
6 family's farm in Sherman and graduated from Sherman High School in  
7 1958; after studying at Austin College for two years, he entered the  
8 U.S. Naval Academy in 1960; and

9           WHEREAS, Mr. Marshall completed nuclear power training and  
10 submarine school, and he qualified for submarine service aboard the  
11 USS *Threadfin*; he went on to be a member of the commissioning crew  
12 of the USS *Grayling* and served as the navigator of the USS *John*  
13 *Adams*; after retiring from active service in 1974, he continued to  
14 serve in the Naval Reserve, commanding two reserve units and  
15 retiring at the rank of captain in 1994; and

16           WHEREAS, In civilian life, Mr. Marshall joined the Bechtel  
17 Power Corporation in California in 1974, and he returned to Texas in  
18 1979 to work for TXU at the Comanche Peak nuclear power station,  
19 serving as the facility's licensing manager for 18 years; after  
20 retiring from TXU in 1998, he served as a consultant on nuclear  
21 power plant licensing before going on to work at MessagePhone,  
22 Inc., beginning in 2000 and later at Certrec Corporation of Fort  
23 Worth; and

24           WHEREAS, Mr. Marshall was a prominent figure in his

1 community, serving on The Colony City Council from 2006 to 2009 and  
2 as a member and president of the Stewart Peninsula Homeowners  
3 Association; he was also active in his church, participating in the  
4 men's ministry and working as the congregation's sound technician;  
5 and

6 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Marshall enjoyed the love  
7 and support of his wife, Cindy, with whom he shared a rewarding  
8 marriage that spanned more than 15 years; he was a caring father to  
9 his two sons, Jonathan and Vernon, and to Cindy's two daughters,  
10 Michelle and Melissa, who he loved as his own; and

11 WHEREAS, An engaged citizen, a caring family man, and an  
12 accomplished naval officer and professional, John Marshall leaves  
13 behind a legacy of good works that will long be remembered and  
14 admired; now, therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
16 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of John S. Marshall and  
17 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his  
18 wife, Cindy Marshall; to his sons, Jonathan Marshall and Vernon  
19 Marshall; to his daughters, Michelle Clay and Melissa Workley; to  
20 his eight grandchildren, Lauren Clay, Ryan Marshall, Caroline  
21 Workley, Reagan Marshall, Jackson Clay, Ryleigh Marshall,  
22 Christopher Workley, and Henry Marshall; and to his other relatives  
23 and many friends; and, be it further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
3 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of John S.  
4 Marshall.

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Straus	González	Paddie
Allen	Guerra	Parker
Alonzo	Guillen	Paul
Alvarado	Gutierrez	Peña
Anchia	Harless	Phelan
Anderson of Dallas	Hernandez	Phillips
Anderson of McLennan	Herrero	Pickett
Ashby	Howard	Price
Aycock	Huberty	Raney
Bell	Hughes	Raymond
Bernal	Hunter	Reynolds
Blanco	Isaac	Riddle
Bohac	Israel	Rinaldi
Bonnen of Brazoria	Johnson	Rodriguez of Bexar
Bonnen of Galveston	Kacal	Rodriguez of Travis
Burkett	Keffer	Romero, Jr.
Burns	Keough	Rose
Burrows	King of Hemphill	Sanford
Button	King of Parker	Schaefer
Canales	King of Taylor	Schofield
Capriglione	King of Uvalde	Schubert
Clardy	Klick	Shaheen
Coleman	Koop	Sheets
Collier	Krause	Sheffield
Cook	Kuempel	Simmons
Craddick	Landgraf	Simpson
Crownover	Larson	Smith
Cyrier	Laubenberg	Smithee
Dale	Leach	Spitzer
Darby	Longoria	Springer
Davis of Dallas	Lozano	Stephenson
Davis of Harris	Lucio III	Stickland
Deshotel	Márquez	Thompson of Brazoria
Dukes	Martinez	Thompson of Harris
Dutton	Martinez Fischer	Tinderholt
Elkins	McClendon	Turner of Collin
Faircloth	Metcalf	Turner of Harris
Fallon	Meyer	Turner of Tarrant
Farias	Miles	VanDeaver
Farney	Miller of Comal	Villalba
Farrar	Miller of Fort Bend	Vo
Fletcher	Moody	Walle
Flynn	Morrison	White of Bell
Frank	Muñoz, Jr.	White of Tyler
Frullo	Murphy	Workman
Galindo	Murr	Wray
Geren	Naishtat	Wu
Giddings	Nevárez	Zedler
Goldman	Oliveira	Zerwas
Gonzales	Otto	

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 691 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 5, 2015.

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Chief Clerk of the House