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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The community of Hutto lost one of its most admired
residents with the passing of David Lynn Oman on January 11, 2015,
at the age of 73; and

WHEREAS, "Red" Oman was born on April 13, 1941, to Martin and Evelyn Oman; he graduated from Hutto High School in 1959, and later served in the 49th Armored Division of the Texas Army National Guard; self-employed for the majority of his professional career, Mr. Oman ran Red's Drive In Grocery in Hutto for many years before owning and operating his own catering company, Captain Red's Catering, for the final 25 years of his life; and

11 WHEREAS, This esteemed Texan was committed to protecting and 12 serving his fellow citizens; he was the fire chief for the Hutto Volunteer Fire Department for nearly three decades, and he held the 13 14 title of fire marshal for a quarter-century; Mr. Oman was also a city councilman and founding member of the Hutto Chamber of 15 16 Commerce, which recognized him for his exceptional contributions to the community with the organization's Ken Love Lifetime Achievement 17 18 Award; and

WHEREAS, Active in a wide range of worthwhile organizations in the Hutto area, Mr. Oman was a lifelong member of the Williamson County Livestock Association, a charter member and president of Round Rock SPJST Lodge No. 187, and a founding member of the local 4H/FFA booster club; he further distinguished himself through his more than 40 years of service to the Hutto Lions Club, which honored

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him with the prestigious Melvin Jones Fellowship Award; moreover,
he played an instrumental role in securing funding for Old Settlers
Park, and he helped establish Hutto's Pony Baseball League; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Oman enjoyed a rewarding marriage with his wife, Jo Ann; a devoted father to his two sons, Troy and Shawn, he later knew the joy of welcoming two grandsons, Marshall and Thomas, into his cherished family; and

8 WHEREAS, Although he will be deeply missed, Mr. Oman's kind 9 nature, ready laughter, and dedication to his community will 10 continue to inspire those who were privileged to share in the 11 richness of his life; now, therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas 13 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of David Lynn Oman and 14 extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his wife, 15 Jo Ann Oman; to his sons, Troy and Shawn Oman; to his grandsons, Marshall and Thomas Oman; to his sisters and their spouses, Barbara 16 17 Boker and her husband, Donny, and Linda Bruchmiller and her husband, Ronnie; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, 18 be it further 19

20 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 21 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 22 Representatives adjourns on this day, it do so in memory of David 23 Lynn Oman.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 736 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 12, 2015.

Chief Clerk of the House