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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, No words can diminish the pain caused by a life cut
- 2 short, but all who shared in the love and friendship of Mason Carter
- 3 Davidson may find comfort in their treasured memories of this
- 4 special young man, who passed away on February 2, 2015, at the age
- 5 of 17; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Born in Austin on September 21, 1997, Mason Davidson
- 7 was the son of David Wayne Cumberledge and Misty Michelle Davidson;
- 8 he was a junior at Rouse High School in Leander, where he excelled
- 9 academically, and he aspired to study mathematics at Texas Tech
- 10 University; and
- 11 WHEREAS, This musically gifted young Texan played trumpet as
- 12 a valued member of the Rouse Raider Marching Band; fond of singing
- 13 as well, he liked to burst out in song to embarrass his girlfriend,
- 14 Marlina, and made a point of serenading her every night; he had
- 15 eclectic tastes and was a fan of Frank Sinatra, Elvis Presley, and
- 16 Sean Kingston, as well as of Guns N' Roses and other rock bands; and
- WHEREAS, An exceptionally warm, kind, and thoughtful person,
- 18 Mr. Davidson endeared himself to innumerable people with his
- 19 gentlemanly demeanor and upbeat personality; he had a wonderful
- 20 sense of humor, and he loved to watch comedy movies with family and
- 21 friends; and
- WHEREAS, Although his days were far too few, Mason Davidson
- 23 made a positive difference in the lives he touched, and he will
- 24 forever hold a special place in the hearts of those he has left

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- 1 behind; now, therefore, be it
- 2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Mason Carter
- 4 Davidson and extend sincere condolences to the members of his
- 5 family: to his parents, Misty Davidson and David Cumberledge; to
- 6 his sister, Chloe Cumberledge; to his grandmothers, Mary Elaine
- 7 Manning and Donna Cumberledge; to his grandfather, James
- 8 Cumberledge, and his companion, Dora Richards; to his girlfriend,
- 9 Marlina Losier; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be
- 10 it further
- 11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 12 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 13 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Mason
- 14 Carter Davidson.