

By: Harless

H.R. No. 1218

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Memories of a life well lived may help to comfort
2 those saddened by the passing of Roy Dowell Hailey of Houston on
3 February 16, 2015, at the age of 59; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Rosebud in 1955, Roy Hailey was the son of
5 Dowell and Mary Martha Hailey; he grew up on his family's ranch in
6 Baileyville, and after graduating from The University of Texas, he
7 went on to earn his law degree from the South Texas College of Law in
8 1981; and

9 WHEREAS, In the course of his accomplished legal career,
10 Mr. Hailey became a well-known expert in the representation of
11 community associations and developers; he was a longtime partner in
12 the Butler Hailey law practice, which merged with another firm to
13 become Roberts Markel Weinberg Butler Hailey PC in January 2014;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, This esteemed attorney often gave presentations to
16 the State Bar of Texas, and he was a member of many legislative
17 action groups, most recently serving as co-chair of the Texas
18 Community Association Advocates; he also held the office of
19 president of the Greater Houston Chapter of the Community
20 Associations Institute, and he volunteered with many other groups
21 related to his area of legal specialization; and

22 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Hailey enjoyed the love
23 and support of his wife of 31 years, June Andersen Hailey; he was an
24 enthusiastic outdoorsman and enjoyed boating on Lake Travis and

1 working livestock and hunting with his sons, Andrew and Niels, at
2 his family's ranch in Baileyville; additionally, he was a valued
3 member of Grace Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder for
4 the past 12 years; and

5 WHEREAS, Deeply devoted to his family and his profession, Roy
6 Hailey made a meaningful difference in the lives of many people, and
7 he will be fondly remembered and deeply missed by all those who had
8 the good fortune to know him; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
10 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Roy Dowell Hailey
11 and extend heartfelt condolences to the members of his family: to
12 his wife, June Andersen Hailey; to his sons, Andrew Dowell Hailey
13 and Niels Oliver Hailey; to his brother, David Wall Hailey, and his
14 wife, Camille; to his nephew and nieces, Joshua, Elizabeth, and
15 Rebekah Hailey; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be
16 it further

17 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
18 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
19 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Roy Dowell
20 Hailey.