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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the  
2 passing of Bobby Gerald Gillis of Sulphur Springs on June 27, 2013,  
3 at the age of 81; and

4 WHEREAS, Bobby Gillis was born in Cumby on November 24, 1931,  
5 to Aura Kyle and Ruth Marie Gillis; on February 2, 1959, he married  
6 the former Janelle Gill; the couple enjoyed 54 loving years  
7 together and were blessed with a son, John; and

8 WHEREAS, After serving in the United States Army, Mr. Gillis  
9 had a notable career as a highway contractor and businessman; he  
10 worked with his family's company, A. K. Gillis & Sons, for more than  
11 60 years, and he was a valued member of the Texas Good Roads and  
12 Transportation Association; and

13 WHEREAS, Although Bobby Gillis is deeply missed, cherished  
14 memories of time spent in his company will long endure in the hearts  
15 of his many loved ones; now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
17 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Bobby Gerald Gillis  
18 and extend sincere condolences to his relatives and friends; and,  
19 be it further

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 this day, it do so in memory of Bobby  
23 Gillis.