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H.R. No. 2548

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Former La Joya Independent School District board
2 member Arturo Gonzalez Jr. passed away on April 26, 2009, at the age
3 of 56, but his legacy continues through the scholarship fund
4 established in his name; and

5 WHEREAS, The son of Arturo Gonzalez Sr. and Baudilia
6 Gonzalez, "Morgan" Gonzalez was born on September 29, 1952; he
7 graduated from the La Joya Independent School District and remained
8 a proud Coyote fan, loyally wearing the red and white school colors;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Gonzalez was joined in matrimony to Rebecca
11 Gonzalez, and they became the proud parents of four children,
12 Anita, Arturo, Angie, and Andie; after beginning his family, he
13 completed his education at South Texas Community College, majoring
14 in business management while working full-time; he was employed for
15 33 years by Valley Coca-Cola, where he rose to become a supervisor
16 and made many lasting friendships; and

17 WHEREAS, Fulfilling a longtime goal, Mr. Gonzalez won
18 election to the board of La Joya ISD in 2001, and he served with
19 great dedication; he was involved in numerous district events and
20 strove to inspire youngsters to achieve academic goals; in his free
21 time, he enjoyed many hobbies, including hunting, playing golf,
22 solving Sudoku puzzles, baking, crocheting, sewing, and making
23 wonderful presents for his beloved grandchildren; and

24 WHEREAS, A quiet man with a big heart and ready smile, Morgan

1 Gonzalez was devoted to his family and his community, and he is
2 remembered with deep affection and admiration by all who were
3 privileged to know him; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
5 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Arturo "Morgan"
6 Gonzalez Jr. and extend sincere condolences to his loved ones; and,
7 be it further

8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
9 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
10 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Arturo
11 Gonzalez Jr.