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H.R. No. 123

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Sharon  
2 Nellums-Goosby of Houston, who passed away on July 11, 2017, at the  
3 age of 53; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Houston in 1964, the former Sharon Nellums  
5 attended Sam Houston State University, where she earned a  
6 bachelor's degree in business administration; she began her  
7 professional career in the social services industry, working to  
8 provide aid for families in need; and

9 WHEREAS, This esteemed Texan went on to accept a position as  
10 the academic records coordinator with the University of Houston Law  
11 Center; during her exemplary 18-year tenure with the school, she  
12 performed such vital functions as managing tutoring services,  
13 securing accommodations for individuals with disabilities, and  
14 assisting with registration and pre-graduation paperwork;  
15 respected by her students and colleagues alike, she put in long  
16 hours and consistently went above and beyond the call of duty in her  
17 efforts to help others; and

18 WHEREAS, A devoted wife and mother, Ms. Nellums-Goosby  
19 shared 16 years of marriage with her husband, Joseph, and she took  
20 immense pride in her son, Jarvis; and

21 WHEREAS, Although her journey on this earth ended far too  
22 soon, Sharon Nellums-Goosby touched countless lives with her warmth  
23 and kindness, and she will forever be remembered with deep  
24 admiration and affection by all who had the good fortune to know

1 her; now, therefore, be it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
3 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of  
4 Sharon Nellums-Goosby and extend heartfelt sympathy to her  
5 relatives and many friends; and, be it further

6           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
8 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Sharon  
9 Nellums-Goosby.