SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8

In Memory of Jimmie McCormack

WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories of Jimmie McCormack of Henderson, who passed away on May 22, 2017, at the age of 89; and

WHEREAS, Born to Randy and Irene McCormack in Long Branch on December 16, 1927, Jimmie McCormack grew up with the companionship of two siblings, Willie Mae and George; he went on to enjoy a successful career with Henderson Clay Products that spanned four decades; he was also a rancher and could often be found tending to his farmland and cattle; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCormack was actively involved with the local chamber of commerce, and he received the Ambassador of the Year Award; furthermore, he held membership with the Pine Hill Lodge No. 95 AF&AM and Clinton Lodge No. 23 AF&AM, and he was a 32nd degree Mason with the Scottish Rite Valley of Waco; sustained by a deep faith, he was a valued congregant of First Baptist Church for nearly seven decades; and

whereas, Mr. McCormack and his wife, Melba, shared a rewarding marriage that spanned 68 years, and together they raised two children, Randy and Nancy; with the passing years, their family grew to include their granddaughter, Megan, step-granddaughter, Ashley, great-grandchildren, Sloane and Brooks, and step-great-grandchildren, Ashton and Beckham; and

WHEREAS, Jimmie McCormack lived a life that was rich in the intangibles that matter most, and his loss is keenly felt by all who were fortunate enough to know him; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the memory of Jimmie McCormack and extend heartfelt sympathy to his relatives and friends; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jimmie McCormack.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on July 18, 2017, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate