By: Lucio III H.R. No. 1092

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Texans everywhere are indebted to the men and women
- 2 of the law enforcement profession, for by their selfless devotion
- 3 to the public welfare, they enable us to enjoy the benefits of a
- 4 peaceful and orderly society; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Too seldom recognized, and sometimes taken for
- 6 granted by the public they so faithfully serve, these gallant
- 7 individuals daily risk their lives in order to ensure domestic
- 8 tranquility and to protect the lives and property of others; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Jailer Robert E. Ransom of the Gregg County
- 10 Sheriff's Office exemplified in his personal and professional
- 11 conduct the singular virtues of courage, integrity, and steadfast
- 12 resolve, and throughout his 36 years on the force, his meritorious
- 13 service embodied the highest ideals of his vocation; and
- WHEREAS, This esteemed Texan, who died on September 30, 2016,
- 15 while on duty, will long be missed by his family, his fellow peace
- 16 officers, and the entire community; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Though his life ended far too soon, Jailer Ransom
- 18 has left behind a record of public service that is deserving of his
- 19 fellow citizens' lasting respect and gratitude; now, therefore, be
- 20 it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Jailer Robert
- 23 E. Ransom and extend deepest sympathy to his relatives, friends,
- 24 and fellow officers; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 3 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jailer
- 4 Robert E. Ransom.