

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 Loren Rodney Overbo on May 6, 2016, at the age of 77; and

3           WHEREAS, The son of Chester and Irene Overbo, Loren Overbo  
4 was born on July 10, 1938, in LaMoure, North Dakota; he pledged with  
5 the Kappa Sigma fraternity while a student at the University of  
6 North Dakota, where he graduated as a member of the Class of 1964;  
7 two years later, he moved to Austin and began working as a systems  
8 analyst for the Department of Veterans Affairs; he retired in 1997;  
9 and

10          WHEREAS, Mr. Overbo married the former Joan Gierszewski in  
11 1961, and the couple became the parents of two sons, Tim and Ron,  
12 and two daughters, Cindy and Wendy; with the passing years,  
13 Mr. Overbo had the pleasure of seeing his family grow to include six  
14 grandchildren, James, Doug, Lia, Brandon, Phillip, and Casey, and a  
15 great-granddaughter, Ava; his life was further enriched by the love  
16 and companionship of his second wife, the former Carolyn  
17 Stephenson, whom he married in 2000; and

18          WHEREAS, A scoutmaster and a valued member of the Moose  
19 Lodge, Mr. Overbo spent his spare time pursuing a variety of  
20 outdoor activities, including hunting, camping, boating, and  
21 gardening; he also had a knack for woodworking and crafts, and he  
22 was a skilled mechanic and a passionate car enthusiast; and

23          WHEREAS, Known for his intelligence, kindness, and witty  
24 sense of humor, Loren Overbo touched countless lives during his

1 journey on this earth, and all those fortunate enough to have known  
2 him will forever hold him close in their hearts; now, therefore, be  
3 it

4         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
5 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Loren Rodney Overbo  
6 and extend deepest condolences to his relatives and many friends;  
7 and, 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 Loren  
11 Overbo.

King of Uvalde

H.R. No. 2548

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2548 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 28, 2017.

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Chief Clerk of the House