By: Bonnen of Brazoria

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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, A rich and purposeful life drew to a close with the
- 2 passing of Jimmy Dale Aplin of Clute on January 9, 2019, at the age
- 3 of 84; and
- WHEREAS, Jim Aplin was born on September 21, 1934, and he grew
- 5 up with the companionship of his brother, Arch; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Mr. Aplin drew strength from the rewarding marriage
- 7 that he shared with his wife of 56 years, Marcia; he was the caring
- 8 father of a son, Justin, and a daughter, Marla, who preceded her
- 9 father in death; with the passing years, Mr. Aplin had the pleasure
- 10 of seeing his family grow to include five grandchildren, Mara,
- 11 Dallas, Sean, Ryan, and Mary Kate, as well as a cherished
- 12 great-grandson, Hunter; and
- WHEREAS, A man of strong faith, Mr. Aplin served as a deacon
- 14 at the First Baptist Church of Clute; furthermore, he was an avid
- 15 gardener; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Those who were privileged to share in this esteemed
- 17 man's love and friendship will always remember him with great
- 18 admiration and affection; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
- 20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Jimmy Dale Aplin and
- 21 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
- 22 wife, Marcia Ann Aplin; to his son, Justin Williams, and his wife,
- 23 Karen; to his grandchildren, Mara Strother and her husband,
- 24 Bradley, Dallas Miles, Sean Williams, Ryan Williams, and Mary Kate

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- 1 Williams; to his great-grandson, Hunter Strother; to his brother,
- 2 Arch Aplin Jr.; to his nephews, Arch "Beaver" Aplin and his wife,
- 3 Joanie, Reg Aplin and his wife, Phyliss, Joe McGuffee, and Wayne
- 4 LeBouf; to his nieces, Bedelia Sandidge and Mary Mobley and her
- 5 husband, Alan; and to his other relatives and friends; and, be it
- 6 further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 9 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jim Aplin.