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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The city of Richwood lost a beloved resident with
- 2 the death of former mayor and city councilman David Allen Head on
- 3 March 3, 2019, at the age of 80; and
- WHEREAS, David Head was born in Waco on September 27, 1938, to
- 5 David Rankin Head and Dixie Corine Head, and he grew up with a
- 6 sister, Sally; following his graduation from Waco High School in
- 7 1957, he took a job with the Dow Chemical Company and relocated to
- 8 Lake Jackson; and
- 9 WHEREAS, After later settling in Richwood, Mr. Head opened
- 10 his own business, David's Food Mart; he received a gunshot wound
- 11 during a store robbery, but he recovered and worked for another 30
- 12 years in the crane rental business; a leader in his community, he
- 13 served his fellow citizens as mayor of Richwood and as a member of
- 14 the city council, and he went on to hold the office of Brazoria
- 15 County commissioner for Precinct 1; and
- WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Head enjoyed the love and
- 17 support of his wife, the former Patricia Lynn Streetman, and the
- 18 couple shared a rewarding marriage that spanned nearly half a
- 19 century before Mrs. Head's passing in 2010; he took great pride in
- 20 their three children, Cindy, Keith, and Shelley, and through the
- 21 years, he was further blessed with six grandchildren, Lindsey,
- 22 Josh, Amber, Ashlyn, Caitlyn, and Kylie, and five
- 23 great-grandchildren, Mason, Brooklyn, Jayse, Johnsie, and
- 24 Koraline; in his leisure hours, he loved to work with his hands, and

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- 1 he spent much of his free time in his garage, doing everything from
- 2 making dining room tables to rebuilding engines; and
- 3 WHEREAS, A devoted family man and a dedicated public servant,
- 4 David Head lived a rich and purposeful life, and the memory of his
- 5 warmth, his keen wit, and his can-do spirit will forever be
- 6 treasured by all those who were fortunate enough to know him; now,
- 7 therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
- 9 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of David Allen Head and
- 10 extend heartfelt sympathy to his relatives and many friends; and,
- 11 be it further
- 12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 13 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 14 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of David Allen
- 15 Head.