

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, All who shared in the life of Maurice Earl Toliver of  
2 Houston were deeply saddened by his death on May 8, 2019, at the age  
3 of 79; and

4           WHEREAS, Born on February 29, 1940, Maurice Toliver grew up  
5 in Houston and graduated from Phillis Wheatley High School in 1961;  
6 he exchanged the vows of matrimony with Ella Kellum in 1965, and  
7 they shared a rewarding marriage that spanned 54 years; and

8           WHEREAS, Mr. Toliver worked at Southwest Camera Store for  
9 several years, and he took photos for Wheatley and Booker T.  
10 Washington High Schools and on numerous special occasions,  
11 including weddings, funerals, and community, church, and social  
12 events; and

13           WHEREAS, A man of deep religious faith, he was a member of  
14 Fifth Ward Missionary Baptist Church for more than six decades,  
15 during which time he held positions as church treasurer and trustee  
16 and participated in the Annual Back to School Health Fair; he  
17 further benefited his community through his work at a number of  
18 local institutions, including the Faith Revitalization Center, the  
19 Greater Fifth Ward Congregational Health Center, and the Rebuilding  
20 Houston Project; in addition, he held membership in the Phillis  
21 Wheatley Metropolitan Alumni and Ex-Student Association; and

22           WHEREAS, Maurice Toliver possessed a generosity of spirit  
23 that expressed itself in myriad ways, and he enriched the lives of  
24 countless people with his warmth and kindness; now, therefore, be

1 it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Maurice Earl  
4 Toliver and extend heartfelt sympathy to his family and many  
5 friends; and, be it further

6           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
8 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Maurice  
9 Earl Toliver.

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Bonnen of Brazoria	Guerra	Noble
Allen	Guillen	Oliverson
Allison	Gutierrez	Ortega
Anchia	Harless	Pacheco
Anderson	Harris	Paddie
Ashby	Hefner	Parker
Bailes	Hernandez	Patterson
Beckley	Herrero	Paul
Bell of Kaufman	Hinojosa	Perez
Bell of Montgomery	Holland	Phelan
Bernal	Howard	Price
Biedermann	Huberty	Ramos
Blanco	Hunter	Raney
Bohac	Israel	Raymond
Bonnen of Galveston	E. Johnson of Dallas	Reynolds
Bowers	J. Johnson of Dallas	Rodriguez
Buckley	Johnson of Harris	Romero, Jr.
Bucy	Kacal	Rose
Burns	King of Hemphill	Rosenthal
Burrows	King of Parker	Sanford
Button	King of Uvalde	Schaefer
Cain	Klick	Shaheen
Calanni	Krause	Sheffield
Canales	Kuempel	Sherman, Sr.
Capriglione	Lambert	Shine
Clardy	Landgraf	Smith
Cole	Lang	Smithee
Coleman	Larson	Springer
Collier	Leach	Stephenson
Cortez	Leman	Stickland
Craddick	Longoria	Stucky
Cyrrier	Lopez	Swanson
Darby	Lozano	Talarico
Davis of Dallas	Lucio III	Thierry
Davis of Harris	Martinez	Thompson of Brazoria
Dean	Martinez Fischer	Thompson of Harris
Deshotel	Metcalf	Tinderholt
Dominguez	Meyer	Toth
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Flynn	Minjarez	Vo
Frank	Moody	Walle
Frullo	Morales	White
Geren	Morrison	Wilson
Gervin-Hawkins	Muñoz, Jr.	Wray
Goldman	Murphy	Wu
González of Dallas	Murr	Zedler
González of El Paso	Neave	Zerwas
Goodwin	Nevárez	Zwiener

H.R. No. 1646

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1646 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 15, 2019.

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Chief Clerk of the House