By: Huberty H.R. No. 12

## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The city of Kingwood lost a beloved resident with
- 2 the passing of Howard Pitman on May 3, 2020, at the age of 92; and
- WHEREAS, Born on March 7, 1928, Howard Pitman grew up in
- 4 Beverly, Massachusetts; after high school, he served in the U.S.
- 5 Navy as a radioman in Key West, Florida; the GI Bill enabled him to
- 6 attend the University of Florida, where he joined the Phi Sigma
- 7 Kappa fraternity; he went on to pursue a successful career in sales
- 8 with Procter & Gamble; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Pitman married the former Mary Helen Morgan in
- 10 June 1959; they moved to Kingwood in 1973, and Mr. Pitman became
- 11 very active in the community; he served on the water board and the
- 12 board of the Kingwood Service Association, and he was president of
- 13 the Kings Forest Community Association; for many years, he wrote a
- 14 weekly column for the Kingwood Observer, and he also founded a local
- 15 wine group, participated in theater, and excelled in karaoke; an
- 16 avid collector of art and pottery, he enjoyed visiting Houston
- 17 galleries and museums; and
- WHEREAS, An outgoing and engaging man of deep patriotism and
- 19 many interests, Howard Pitman is greatly missed by those he left
- 20 behind, but they will forever treasure their memories of time spent
- 21 in his company; now, therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 23 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of
- 24 Howard Pitman and extend sincere condolences to all who mourn his

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- 1 passing; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 4 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Howard
- 5 Pitman.