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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories of Adan Zapata of Robstown, who passed away on August 9, 2020, at the age of 90; and

WHEREAS, Born in Realitos on February 5, 1930, Adan Zapata was the son of Doroteo and Maria Pena Zapata, and he grew up with the companionship of his siblings Juanita, Eva, Belia, Benigno, Gilbert, Robert, Emma, Esperanza, Irene, and Lupe; he later enjoyed a rewarding career with the Texas Department of Transportation, where he worked for 35 years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Zapata shared a fulfilling marriage with his wife, Maria, who preceded him in death; he was the proud father of two daughters, Yolanda and Lupita, and he took great pleasure in seeing his family grow to include his grandchildren, Yvonne and Yvette, his great-grandchildren, Adam, DJ, Aaron, Ariel, and Isaac, and his great-great-grandchildren, Noah and Tristan; and

WHEREAS, Adan Zapata lived a rich and purposeful life, and those who had the privilege to know him will forever remember him with deep admiration and affection; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Adan Zapata and extend sincere condolences to all who mourn his passing; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Adan Zapata.