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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Family and friends will forever treasure their memories of Daniel Ray Neal of Poteet, who died on October 6, 2019, at the age of 71; and

WHEREAS, The son of John and Geraldine Neal, Dan Neal was born in Poteet on May 12, 1948, and grew up with three siblings, Barbara, Darlene, and John; he graduated from Somerset High School in 1966, and in 1969, he was drafted into the U.S. Army and served his nation during the Vietnam War; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Neal married the former Vivian Carroll in 1973, and the couple shared a loving union that spanned 45 years; he was the proud father of two sons, Joseph and Paul, and his family later grew to include two daughters-in-law, Rebecca and Stacy, and three granddaughters, Nikaya, Laikyn, and Preslyn; and

WHEREAS, A keen outdoorsman, Mr. Neal delighted in ranching cattle and horses and working the land, and in his free time he enjoyed fishing and hunting; and

WHEREAS, Dan Neal lived a life that was rich in the intangibles that matter most, and he is deeply missed by all those who held him dear; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Daniel Ray Neal and extend heartfelt sympathy to his family and many friends; 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 Dan Neal.