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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Pamela
- 2 Brown Tarpley of Weatherford, who died on January 17, 2021, at the
- 3 age of 76; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The daughter of Margot Clay Moseley and Winfred
- 5 Brannan Brown, the former Pam Brown was born on November 13, 1944,
- 6 in Denver, Colorado, and grew up with three siblings, Bob, Win, and
- 7 Joan; she married Bob Tarpley in 1963 and went on to become the
- 8 mother of a son, Clay; later in life, she was further blessed with
- 9 three grandchildren, Brittany, Scotlyn, and Bryson; and
- 10 WHEREAS, After graduating from Weatherford High School,
- 11 Ms. Tarpley attended Weatherford College and the University of
- 12 North Texas; she enjoyed a long career in banking in Weatherford,
- 13 working at M&F Bank, First National Bank, and Texas Bank, and
- 14 following her retirement, she was employed with the Doss Heritage
- 15 and Culture Center, where she helped establish four summer history
- 16 camps and wrote the curricula for each camp; she was also the
- 17 coauthor of a book, Parker County Legends: Trail Bosses and Wild
- 18 Hosses, and she served as computer engineer for the Cowboy Jubilee
- 19 radio show; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Ms. Tarpley was active as a Girl Scout in high
- 21 school and college, and throughout her life, she took great pride in
- 22 encouraging young people, especially through her work with the
- 23 International Western Music Association and with such summer
- 24 programs as the Cowtown Opry Music Camp; she was also involved with

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- 1 Bush Legacy Republican Women of Weatherford, the Weatherford
- 2 Downtown Business Alliance, and the Longhorn Council of Girl
- 3 Scouting, among other organizations; a woman of strong religious
- 4 faith, she attended the Church of Christ; and
- 5 WHEREAS, A loving mother and grandmother and an engaged
- 6 member of her community, Pam Tarpley enriched the lives of
- 7 countless people with her warmth, kindness, and generosity; now,
- 8 therefore, be it
- 9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 10 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Pamela Brown
- 11 Tarpley and extend heartfelt sympathy to her relatives and many
- 12 friends; and, be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 14 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 15 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Pamela
- 16 Brown Tarpley.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 109 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 10, 2021.

Chief Clerk of the House