

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, All who shared in the life of George Ira Leeser of El
2 Paso were deeply saddened by his passing on December 24, 2020, at
3 the age of 69; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Chihuahua, Mexico, on January 24, 1951,
5 George Leeser was the son of Arthur and Rhoberta Leeser, and he grew
6 up with six younger siblings, Nannette, Rose, Bonny, Oscar, Arthur,
7 and Lailah; at the age of 16, he moved to Los Angeles to live with
8 his uncle, and the following year he relocated with his family to El
9 Paso, where he graduated with the Coronado High School Class of
10 1969; he earned an accounting and small business degree from The
11 University of Texas at El Paso; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Leeser enjoyed a successful career in the
13 automotive sales and finance industry that spanned more than three
14 decades; highly self-motivated with a strong work ethic, he
15 received numerous professional awards and was consistently ranked
16 No. 1 in sales; he was also actively engaged with the Jewish
17 community and taught at Temple Mount Sinai; and

18 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Leeser enjoyed the love
19 and support of his husband, Danny Chavez, whom he married in 2020,
20 and he took great pride in his two children, Craig and Courtney, and
21 his two grandchildren, Griffin and Noraleigh; a beloved member of
22 the LGBTQ community, he was admired for his kindness, generosity,
23 and compassion for others; and

24 WHEREAS, Although George Leeser is greatly missed, he has

1 left his family and friends with many cherished memories, and he
2 will forever hold a special place in their hearts; now, therefore,
3 be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
5 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of George Ira Leeser and
6 extend sincere sympathy to all who mourn his passing; and, be it
7 further

8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
9 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
10 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of George
11 Leeser.

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H.R. No. 730

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 730 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 30, 2021.

Chief Clerk of the House