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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories
of Lones Frank Cook of Stillwater, Oklahoma, who passed away on May
12, 2021, at the age of 69; and

WHEREAS, The son of Claxton Roscoe Cook and Mable Ellen Shields, Lones Cook was born on February 13, 1952, in Fairview, Oklahoma; he graduated from Stillwater High School in 1970 and went on to study agricultural science and accounting at Oklahoma State University, where he was a member of the varsity wrestling team; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Cook excelled in a number of different jobs, 10 including as a firefighter, plumber, and insurance salesperson; he 11 especially enjoyed working as a cattleman at the Cook Cattle 12 Company near Stillwater; a man of many interests, he held a deep 13 appreciation for history and theology, and his numerous adventures 14 included sailing a yacht, riding motorcycles, and flying airplanes; 15 and

16 WHEREAS, Blessed with a devoted family, Mr. Cook benefited 17 from the love and support of his wife, Brenda, and he took great 18 pride in his children, Randall, Kyle, and Kara; and

WHEREAS, Lones Cook embraced life to the fullest, and he will forever remain a vibrant presence for those who knew and loved him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Lones Frank Cook and extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his

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wife, Brenda Ruth Henson-Cook; to his sons, Randall Cook and his 1 wife, Jennifer, and Kyle Cook and his fiancée, Lisa Marie Babayan, 2 and his stepson, Daniel Henson, and his wife, Joni; to his daughter, 3 Kara Cook, and her husband, Garrett Schultz, and his stepdaughter, 4 5 Jennifer Henson Callaway, and her husband, Scott; to his grandchildren, Cobi, Mason, Logan, Kaylon, and Preslee Callaway, 6 Jolei Henson Murray, Joseph, Robert, and Thomas Cook, Jett and 7 Jaron Henson, and Alexander Schultz; to his sister, Marcia Cook 8 Greer; to his brother, Carl Cook; and to his many other relatives 9 and friends; and, be it further 10

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 12 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 13 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Lones Cook. Rosenthal

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1761 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 29, 2021.

Chief Clerk of the House