

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and productive life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Dillard H. Wied of Hebbronville on October 24, 2019, at
3 the age of 92; and

4 WHEREAS, The son of Arthur and Annie Wied, Dillard Wied was
5 born in Crestonio on December 24, 1926, and grew up on the family
6 farm with four siblings, Franklin, Bonnie, Herbert, and Perry; he
7 continued to farm and ranch after graduating from high school and
8 served his country in the U.S. Army; and

9 WHEREAS, Following his time in the military, Mr. Wied
10 partnered with his brother Perry in farming and ranching, and he
11 also owned a welding shop; he later worked on a logging truck for
12 Schlumberger before starting a water well drilling and service
13 company; in 1971, he opened Wied Hardware, which he ran until his
14 retirement, and afterward, he continued to ranch for a number of
15 years; and

16 WHEREAS, For almost four decades, Mr. Wied served as a
17 director of First National Bank; he was also active in his community
18 as a member of Texas Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Jim Wells
19 County Farm Bureau; and

20 WHEREAS, Mr. Wied shared a rewarding marriage with his wife,
21 Louise, before her passing in 2004; he was the proud father of three
22 children, Mark, Annette, and Franklin, and through the years, he
23 was further blessed with seven grandchildren, Ann, Justin, Fallon,
24 Cameron, Christopher, Meghan, and Kasey, as well as two

1 great-grandchildren, Kylie and Kelsea; and

2 WHEREAS, Although Dillard Wied is greatly missed, he has left
3 his loved ones with a wealth of memories that they will forever
4 cherish; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
6 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Dillard H. Wied and
7 extend sincere condolences to all who mourn his passing; and, be it
8 further

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

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H.R. No. 2050

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2050 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 31, 2021.

Chief Clerk of the House