By: Guillen H.R. No. 2062

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will forever treasure their
- 2 memories of Daniel Ray Neal of Poteet, who died on October 6, 2019,
- 3 at the age of 71; and
- WHEREAS, The son of John and Geraldine Neal, Dan Neal was born
- 5 in Poteet on May 12, 1948, and grew up with three siblings, Barbara,
- 6 Darlene, and John; he graduated from Somerset High School in 1966,
- 7 and in 1969, he was drafted into the U.S. Army and served his nation
- 8 during the Vietnam War; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Neal married the former Vivian Carroll in 1973,
- 10 and the couple shared a loving union that spanned 45 years; he was
- 11 the proud father of two sons, Joseph and Paul, and his family later
- 12 grew to include two daughters-in-law, Rebecca and Stacy, and three
- 13 granddaughters, Nikaya, Laikyn, and Preslyn; and
- 14 WHEREAS, A keen outdoorsman, Mr. Neal delighted in ranching
- 15 cattle and horses and working the land, and in his free time he
- 16 enjoyed fishing and hunting; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Dan Neal lived a life that was rich in the
- 18 intangibles that matter most, and he is deeply missed by all those
- 19 who held him dear; now, therefore, be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 21 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Daniel Ray Neal and
- 22 extend heartfelt sympathy to his family and many friends; and, be it
- 23 further
- 24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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- 1 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 2 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Dan Neal.