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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories
2 of Fred Earl Bennett Jr. of Poteet, who passed away on June 9, 2020,
3 at the age of 77; and

4 WHEREAS, The son of Mable Lynn and Fred Earl Bennett, Fred
5 Bennett was born on February 23, 1943, in Greenville; he attended
6 East Texas State University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in
7 psychology and sociology; and

8 WHEREAS, A Vietnam veteran, Captain Bennett served in the
9 U.S. Air Force for 23 years, receiving numerous medals and
10 commendations before his retirement in 1989; and

11 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Bennett enjoyed the love
12 and support of his wife, Lourdes Aviso Bennett, and he took great
13 pride in his sons, Patrick and Robert, and six grandchildren, Amy,
14 Sophia, Jack, Jason, Kaitlyne, and Ryder; and

15 WHEREAS, Fred Bennett lived a life that was rich in personal
16 and professional achievements, and he will forever be a source of
17 inspiration to those he leaves behind; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
19 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Fred Earl Bennett Jr.
20 and extend sincere condolences to all who mourn his passing; and, be
21 it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
23 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
24 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Fred

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