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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Officer Ronald Cronin of the Dallas Police 2 Department demonstrated exceptional courage in the line of duty on 3 July 25, 2022, when he risked his life to apprehend an armed suspect 4 at Dallas Love Field Airport; and

5 WHEREAS, A 15-year veteran of the department, Officer Cronin 6 was assigned to surveil the ticketing area at the airport, which was 7 occupied by more than 100 people that morning; at around 11 a.m., he 8 observed a woman causing a disturbance at one of the ticketing 9 counters; just as Officer Cronin was using his radio to request 10 backup, the suspect pulled out a handgun and began firing rounds 11 into the air; and

12 WHEREAS, After taking cover, Officer Cronin witnessed the 13 suspect continue to fire her weapon into the air, placing airport 14 patrons in danger; acting without hesitation, he discharged his 15 weapon at the suspect, immobilizing her and preventing the incident 16 from escalating; he then rendered emergency aid to the wounded 17 suspect, who survived and was taken into custody, as other officers 18 arrived to secure the scene; and

WHEREAS, Officer Ronald Cronin distinguished himself through his efforts to bring a dangerous suspect to justice, and he is indeed deserving of recognition for his tremendous bravery and his unwavering resolve to keep his community safe; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas

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Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend Officer Ronald
Cronin for his heroic actions in apprehending an armed suspect on
July 25, 2022, and extend to him sincere best wishes for the future;
and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 6 prepared for Officer Cronin as an expression of high regard by the 7 Texas House of Representatives.