By: Johnson H.R. No. 142

## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the sorrow felt at
- 2 the passing of eight-year-old Anna Margaret Bellows of Houston, who
- 3 was tragically lost in the July 4, 2025, flooding in Kerr County;
- 4 and
- 5 WHEREAS, The daughter of Patricia and Warren Bellows,
- 6 Margaret Bellows was born on October 27, 2016; she shared a strong
- 7 bond with her sister, Mary, and she also benefited from the support
- 8 of her grandparents, aunt, uncle, and cousins; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Margaret was a student at St. John's School at the
- 10 time of her passing; tenacious and bold, she had a zest for life and
- 11 deeply loved her family members, friends, and pets; she also
- 12 enjoyed playing sports, especially field hockey, soccer, and
- 13 basketball, and her laughter and hugs brightened the days of her
- 14 loved ones; and
- WHEREAS, Although it is immeasurably painful to say goodbye
- 16 to someone so young and full of promise, those mourning the loss of
- 17 Margaret Bellows may find comfort in knowing that their lives have
- 18 been forever enriched by the joyful times they spent in her company;
- 19 now, therefore, be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
- 21 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the memory
- 22 of Anna Margaret Bellows and extend sincere condolences to the
- 23 members of her family: to her parents, Patricia Harris Bellows and
- 24 Warren Sylvanus Bellows IV; to her sister, Mary Elizabeth Bellows;

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- 1 to her grandparents, Richard and Kathleen Harris and Warren and
- 2 Ruth Bellows; to her aunt and uncle, Elizabeth and Robert Brockman;
- 3 to her cousins, James Maxwell and Julia May Brockman; and to her
- 4 other relatives and many friends; and, be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Margaret
- 8 Bellows.