

H.R. No. 473

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The House has learned with sadness of the death of
2 the Honorable Sylvester Turner, who passed away on March 5, 2025, at
3 the age of 70; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Turner represented Texas House District 139 in
5 Harris County from January 10, 1989, to January 1, 2016, and he
6 served as Speaker Pro Tempore during the 78th, 79th, and 80th
7 Legislatures; he went on to serve as the 62nd mayor of Houston from
8 2016 to 2024, and he was elected to the United States House of
9 Representatives in 2024; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
11 Legislature hereby grant permission for the body of the Honorable
12 Sylvester Turner to lie in honor in the Hall of the House of
13 Representatives on Thursday, March 13, 2025, and Friday, March 14,
14 2025, under the direction and supervision of the Committee on House
15 Administration.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 473 was adopted by the House on March 6, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 148, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House