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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Gary Calfee is retiring as an attorney in 2025 after
a notable career that has made him a well-known figure in the Texas
Capitol community; and

WHEREAS, A native of Waco, Mr. Calfee is the second of four children born to Rowena and Richard W. Calfee, and he graduated from Richfield High School in 1968; he went on to earn a degree in government from The University of Texas at Austin, and while completing his studies, he began working at the State Capitol; he later received a law degree from the UT School of Law; and

10 WHEREAS, In his work as an attorney and legislative advocate, 11 Mr. Calfee has gained a reputation for his dedication, integrity, 12 and self-reliance; he is also renowned in state government circles 13 for his excellent cooking skills, with his pozole, beef tenderloin, 14 and other specialties earning many loyal fans; and

15 WHEREAS, Bearing the soul of a cowboy, Mr. Calfee looks 16 forward to spending his retirement at his ranch in New Mexico; in 17 all his endeavors, he enjoys the love and support of his wife, 18 Laura; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of four decades, Gary Calfee has exemplified the values and principles of a true Texan in his work, and he will be missed by the many friends he has made at the State Capitol; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
Legislature hereby congratulate Gary Calfee on his retirement and

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extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Mr. Calfee as an expression of high regard by the Texas
House of Representatives.