By: King S.R. No. 79

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The passing of Toby Leon Taylor of Weatherford on
- 2 February 3, 2024, at the age of 53, brought an immeasurable loss to
- 3 his family and friends; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Toby Taylor was born to Larry and Linda Taylor in
- 5 Okmulgee, Oklahoma, on December 9, 1970, and he grew up with the
- 6 companionship of a brother, Trey; while attending Texas A&M
- 7 University, he met the love of his life, Beth, on a study abroad
- 8 trip in Italy; the couple married in 1993 and shared a fulfilling
- 9 union that spanned three decades; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Following his graduation from college, Mr. Taylor
- 11 worked for an architectural firm before joining his family's air
- 12 conditioning business, where he served as general manager for more
- 13 than 20 years; in 2016, he and his wife purchased a local printing
- 14 company, AlphaGraphics, which they built into a successful
- 15 business; and
- WHEREAS, A man of strong faith, Mr. Taylor was a longtime
- 17 congregant of Trinity Bible Church, where he served as a deacon and
- 18 was actively involved with the student ministry; he further gave of
- 19 his time and talents to the Weatherford ISD School Board, the
- 20 Weatherford Chamber of Commerce, the Christian Men's Fellowship of
- 21 Parker County, and Boy Scout Troop No. 109; and
- 22 WHEREAS, Above all else, Mr. Taylor was devoted to his
- 23 family; he took great pride in his sons, Riley and Colby, and he
- 24 enthusiastically supported them in their various school and

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- 1 extracurricular activities; in his leisure hours, he cherished time
- 2 spent with his loved ones, playing games and going on camping trips
- 3 and other adventures; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Toby Taylor possessed a generosity of spirit that
- 5 expressed itself in myriad ways, and he enriched the lives of
- 6 countless people with his warmth and kindness; now, therefore, be
- 7 it
- 8 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 89th Texas Legislature
- 9 hereby pay tribute to the memory of Toby Leon Taylor and extend
- 10 sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his wife, Beth
- 11 Taylor; to his sons, Riley and Colby Taylor; to his parents, Larry
- 12 and Linda Taylor; to his brother, Trey Taylor, and his wife, Alexa;
- 13 and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 15 prepared for his family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this
- 16 day, it do so in memory of Toby Taylor.