

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1           WHEREAS, Residents of Paris, Texas, lost an esteemed public  
2 servant with the untimely passing of Sergeant Robert Lee Trapp of  
3 the Lamar County Sheriff's Department on January 13, 2003, at the  
4 age of 40; and

5           WHEREAS, A native Texan, Robert Trapp was born in Paris on  
6 September 19, 1962, to Elmer Lee and Glenna Fay Bishop Trapp; as a  
7 young man, he graduated from Paris High School and later married the  
8 love of his life, Laurie Pullen, on August 8, 1987, in Hugo,  
9 Oklahoma; and

10           WHEREAS, This dedicated law enforcement professional worked  
11 as a reserve officer and dispatcher for the Paris Police Department  
12 before earning his peace officer certification from the East Texas  
13 Police Academy in 1991; he was hired in 1994 as a liaison officer  
14 for Lamar County Emergency Management and as a patrol officer by the  
15 Lamar County Sheriff's Department; and

16           WHEREAS, Over the ensuing years, he was promoted to  
17 investigator and sergeant and won the respect and admiration of  
18 colleagues and citizens alike for his courage, professionalism, and  
19 integrity; Sergeant Trapp was named Officer of the Year in 1999, and  
20 he earned a host of other well-deserved commendations during the  
21 course of his career; and

22           WHEREAS, In his free time, he was active with the Elks Lodge  
23 and was a member of Calvary United Methodist Church; and

24           WHEREAS, Sergeant Trapp was an outstanding officer, involved

1 citizen, and devoted family man whose commitment to his profession,  
2 community, and loved ones will long be remembered by the countless  
3 people whose lives he touched; now, therefore, be it

4         RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas  
5 hereby pay tribute to the life of Robert Lee Trapp and extend  
6 sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his wife, Laurie  
7 Trapp; to his children, Andrew and Sarah Trapp; to his mother,  
8 Glenna Trapp; to his brother, Johnny Trapp; to his sister-in-law,  
9 Trina Trapp; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be it  
10 further

11         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
12 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
13 Representatives and Senate adjourn this day, they do so in memory of  
14 Robert Lee Trapp.

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David Newhall

President of the Senate

Tom Coburn

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 3 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 6, 2003.

Robert Haney  
Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 3 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Senate on May 7, 2003.

Patsy Spaw  
Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: 20 MAY 03

Date

Rick Perry  
Governor

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Ann Shea  
Secretary of State