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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Countless lives were touched by Orange Grove
- 2 educator Roxie M. Fine, who passed away on December 2, 2008, at the
- 3 age of 45; and
- WHEREAS, Born in Corpus Christi on May 3, 1963, to Mary Nan
- 5 and Johnny Marek, Roxie Fine graduated from Calallen High School in
- 6 1981 and subsequently earned a bachelor's degree in family and
- 7 consumer sciences from Texas State University; she began her
- 8 teaching career at Banquete High School, where she was recognized
- 9 as the Banquete ISD Teacher of the Year, before joining the faculty
- 10 of Orange Grove High School in 1994; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mrs. Fine impressed students with her energy and
- 12 kindness, and in just one year, the school's enrollment in family
- 13 and consumer sciences courses doubled; to accommodate the growth,
- 14 the school hired Mrs. Fine's sister and fellow teacher, Kaye
- 15 Bluntzer, and together, the two women grew the Family, Career, and
- 16 Community Leaders of America program from 10 members to more than
- 17 250; Mrs. Fine's enthusiasm for FCCLA was well known, and in 2007
- 18 she was asked to serve as one of five national consultants for the
- 19 organization; she helped lead training events several times a year,
- 20 and her positive influence was felt by FCCLA professionals around
- 21 the country; and
- WHEREAS, Active in her community as well, this esteemed Texan
- 23 shared her time and talents as a leader in the Jim Wells County 4-H
- 24 program and was a devoted member of St. John of the Cross Catholic

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- 1 Church; in addition, she shared a rewarding relationship with her
- 2 husband, Aaron Fine, with whom she was blessed with a son, Ashton;
- 3 and
- WHEREAS, With her luminous smile and zest for life, Roxie
- 5 Fine brought great joy to all those who were privileged to know her;
- 6 although her life ended far too soon, she leaves behind a legacy
- 7 that will continue to inspire others for many years to come; now,
- 8 therefore, be it
- 9 RESOLVED, That the 81st Legislature of the State of Texas
- 10 hereby pay tribute to the life of Roxie M. Fine and extend sincere
- 11 sympathy to the members of her family: to her husband, Aaron Fine;
- 12 to her son, Ashton Fine; to her sister, Kaye Bluntzer and her
- 13 husband, Eric; to her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Loren and
- 14 Debbie Fine; to her nieces and nephews, Gus, Arlis, and Mary Grace
- 15 Bluntzer and Lexus and Chaliis Fine; and to her other relatives and
- 16 many friends; and, be it further
- 17 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 18 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 19 Representatives and Senate adjourn this day, they do so in memory of
- 20 Roxie M. Fine.

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 138 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 7, 2009.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 138 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Senate on April 8, 2009. \bigwedge

Secretary of the Senate

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