

1 A MEMORIAL

2 REQUESTING THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW  
3 MEXICO TO RENAME THE PAVILION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO  
4 CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF COURSE THE "HENRY KIKI SAAVEDRA PAVILION".  
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6 WHEREAS, the university of New Mexico welcomes the  
7 opportunity to honor those who have rendered extraordinary  
8 service or support to the university; and

9 WHEREAS, facilities, spaces, endowments or programs may  
10 be named for individuals or entities whose accomplishments or  
11 generosity advance the academic mission of the university and  
12 further the capacity of the university to meet its teaching  
13 and scholarly objectives and to serve its community and  
14 enhance the growth and reputation of the university; and

15 WHEREAS, Henry Kiki Saavedra represented house district  
16 10 in the house of representatives from 1977 until his  
17 retirement in 2014; and

18 WHEREAS, Representative Saavedra served with distinction  
19 as chair of the house appropriations and finance committee;  
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21 WHEREAS, Representative Saavedra enjoyed playing golf,  
22 sometimes with brilliance, at the university of New Mexico  
23 championship golf course, which overlooked the house district  
24 10 area; and

25 WHEREAS, playing golf with Representative Saavedra at

1 the university of New Mexico championship golf course was an  
2 experience for those with whom he golfed, but it was always a  
3 joyful one filled with laughter; and

4 WHEREAS, Representative Saavedra also provided the  
5 university of New Mexico championship golf course with  
6 capital outlay funds that helped drill a well, purchase golf  
7 carts and make other general improvements; and

8 WHEREAS, most importantly, capital outlay funds were  
9 used to build the pavilion at the university of New Mexico  
10 championship golf course, which serves as a meeting place for  
11 banquets and other functions; and

12 WHEREAS, Representative Saavedra died on January 28,  
13 2019; and

14 WHEREAS, it would be a fitting honor to Representative  
15 Saavedra to memorialize his contributions to the university  
16 of New Mexico championship golf course by naming the pavilion  
17 that his funding support helped build after him;

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
19 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the board of  
20 regents of the university of New Mexico be requested to  
21 rename the pavilion at the university of New Mexico  
22 championship golf course the "Henry Kiki Saavedra Pavilion";  
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24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the president of the  
25 university of New Mexico also be requested to voice support

1 for renaming the pavilion at the university of New Mexico  
2 golf course the "Henry Kiki Saavedra Pavilion"; and

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be  
4 transmitted to the board of regents of the university of New  
5 Mexico, the president of the university of New Mexico, the  
6 coaches of the men's and women's golf teams at the university  
7 of New Mexico and to the Saavedra family. \_\_\_\_\_

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