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Date: October 15, 2021
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[Urging the Secretary of the Interior to Recognize the Crash Site of Roberto Clemente's Airplane as a Historic Landmark]

## Resolution urging the Secretary of the Interior to recognize the crash site of Roberto Clemente's airplane and adjacent land in the National Register of Historic Places.

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente was an American baseball legend who embodied the values of a model citizen; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente won two Major League Baseball World Series Championships, was named World Series Most Valuable Player, and was an All-Star for 12 seasons; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente served this nation as a united states marine corps reservist; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente was the first Puerto Rican inducted into the baseball hall of fame; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente was inducted into the marine corps sports hall of fame; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente was committed to caring and helping those in need, regardless of their location; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente selflessly chose to travel to Nicaragua after and earthquake to provide humanitarian aid; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente's plane crashed shortly after taking off from Isla Verde International Airport/Aeropuerto Internacional de Isla Verde on December 31, 1972; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente was only 38 years old when he tragically passed away; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente's passion and advocacy demonstrated the positive influence that professional athletes could have in improving the lives of others; and WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente challenged the stereotypes that had marginalized native Spanish speakers in this nation and remains an icon to many Puerto Ricans and Latinos in the United States and Latin America; and

WHEREAS, Major league baseball presents an annual Roberto Clemente award to the player that best embodies Roberto Clemente's value of service to others and represents the game of baseball through extraordinary character, community involvement, philanthropy, and positive contributions, both on and off the field; and

WHEREAS, Roberto Clemente was posthumously awarded the presidential medal of freedom, presidential citizens medal, and the congressional gold medal for his civic and charitable contributions; and

WHEREAS, The 115th Congress agreed to urge the Secretary of the Interior to recognize the historical significance of Roberto Clemente's place of death near Piñones in Loíza, Puerto Rico, by adding it to the National Register of Historic Places in December of 2018; and

WHEREAS, The crash site in the adjacent area to Playa Aviones in the municipality of Loíza, Puerto Rico, was the last place where Roberto Clemente graced this world; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, The Board of Supervisors requests that the Secretary of the Interior recognize the crash site of Roberto Clemente's airplane and the adjacent land by adding such site to the National Register of Historic Places.

## Introduction Form

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):
$\square$ 1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment).
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Sponsor(s):
Supervisor Safai

## Subject:

Resolution Urging the Secretary of the interior to recognize the crash site of Roberto Clemente's airplane as a Historic Landmark

The text is listed:
A resolution urging Loiza, Puerto Rico and the Secretary of the Interior to recognize the crash site of Roberto Clemente's airplane and adjacent land in the National Register of Historic Places. Roberto Clemente was an American baseball player, model citizen, and the first Puerto Rican player in baseball. Roberto Clemente challenged stereotypes that had marginalized native Spanish speakers in the US.


