## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 202

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas recognizes Reverend John Fife for his unselfish service to people in migration; and

WHEREAS, Reverend Fife was one of the founders of the sanctuary movement of the 1980s; he has accompanied and helped people in migration for 35 years; and

WHEREAS, He has led his church, Southside Presbyterian, in declaring the need to provide sanctuary for immigrants; and

WHEREAS, Reverend Fife remains committed to his work and continues to aid immigrants crossing the treacherous Arizona desert; he is a founding member of No More Deaths; and

WHEREAS, A man of spiritual depth and devotion, Reverend Fife extends a helping hand to struggling people and is a powerful example of the tradition of humanitarianism; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend Reverend John Fife for his commitment to charity and for his continuing efforts in the sanctuary movement; and, be it further

**RESOLVED,** That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Shapleigh

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 12, 2006.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate