

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 219

In Memory
of
Jeff McNeil

WHEREAS, It is with great sorrow that the Texas Senate notes the passing of an outstanding Texas Department of Transportation employee, Jeff McNeil of the Beaumont district office, who died on July 14, 2005, at the age of 44; and

WHEREAS, The members of this chamber wish to join his family, friends, and fellow workers in mourning the loss of this remarkable Texan who dedicated his life to his family and career; and

WHEREAS, An admired and hardworking man, Mr. McNeil was born on May 15, 1961, in Bay City, Michigan, and he had been an employee of the Texas Department of Transportation for more than 23 years; and

WHEREAS, Recognized for his strong work ethic, he began as a maintenance technician and had been promoted to the position of assistant maintenance supervisor; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McNeil also enjoyed several hobbies and outdoor activities; among his favorites were deer hunting and four-wheeling; and

WHEREAS, A devoted husband and father and a friend who could be counted on, Mr. McNeil had a remarkable personality and spirit that will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of Jeff McNeil and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: his wife, Patricia Sparks; his daughters, Amy and Misty; and his other relatives and friends; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jeff McNeil.

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President of the Senate

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

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate