

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the heartache felt
2 at the loss of U.S. Army Sergeant First Class William Brown of
3 White Settlement, who died while bravely serving his country on
4 November 6, 2006, at the age of 30; and

5 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 1st Battalion, 3rd Special Forces
6 Group, Sergeant First Class Brown was killed when a roadside bomb
7 detonated near his Humvee in the Panjwayi district of Kandahar,
8 Afghanistan; and

9 WHEREAS, Americans owe a profound debt to our nation's
10 servicemen and servicewomen, whose courageous efforts and enormous
11 sacrifices are deserving of their fellow citizens' deepest respect
12 and gratitude; and

13 WHEREAS, Exemplifying the highest ideals of the U.S. armed
14 forces, William Brown inspired others with his fortitude, tenacity,
15 and courage; although his death leaves a void in the lives of his
16 loved ones, they will forever carry memories of this heroic Texan
17 close in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
19 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Sergeant First
20 Class William Brown and extend deepest sympathy to all those who
21 mourn his passing; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
23 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
24 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of U.S.
25 Army Sergeant First Class William Brown.

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H.R. No. 2233

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2233 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 23, 2007.

Chief Clerk of the House