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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 Second Lieutenant Johnny K. Craver of  
3 McKinney, who died while bravely serving his country on October 13,  
4 2006, at the age of 37; and

5           WHEREAS, Assigned to the 1st Battalion, 22nd Infantry  
6 Regiment, 1st Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, Second  
7 Lieutenant Craver was mortally wounded when a roadside bomb  
8 exploded near his vehicle during combat operations in Baghdad,  
9 Iraq; and

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

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

19           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Second  
21 Lieutenant Johnny K. Craver and extend deepest sympathy to all  
22 those who mourn his passing; and, be it further

23           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
24 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of

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1 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of U.S.  
2 Army Second Lieutenant Johnny K. Craver.