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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the heartache felt
- 2 at the loss of U.S. Army Private First Class Brian J. Kubik of
- 3 Harker Heights, who died while bravely serving his country on
- 4 August 5, 2006, at the age of 20; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 1st Battalion, 502nd Infantry
- 6 Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 101st Airborne Division, Private
- 7 First Class Kubik was mortally wounded when his unit encountered
- 8 enemy small-arms fire in Baghdad, Iraq; 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
- WHEREAS, Exemplifying the highest ideals of the U.S. armed
- 14 forces, Brian J. Kubik inspired others with his fortitude,
- tenacity, and courage; although his death leaves a void in the lives
- of his loved ones, they will forever carry memories of this heroic
- 17 Texan 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 Private First
- 20 Class Brian J. Kubik 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.

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1 Army Private First Class Brian J. Kubik.