

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. Marine Corporal Michael C. Ledsome of Austin,
3 who died while bravely serving his country on November 25, 2006, at
4 the age of 24; and

5 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 3rd Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment,
6 2nd Marine Division, 2nd Marine Expeditionary Force,
7 Corporal Ledsome was killed during combat operations in Anbar
8 Province, 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

13 WHEREAS, Exemplifying the highest ideals of the U.S. armed
14 forces, Michael C. Ledsome inspired others with his fortitude,
15 tenacity, and courage; although his death leaves a void in the lives
16 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 Corporal Michael C.
20 Ledsome and extend deepest sympathy to all those who mourn his
21 passing; and, be it further

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1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
3 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of U.S.
4 Marine Corporal Michael C. Ledsome.

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| Berman | Haggerty | Noriega |
| Bohac | Hamilton | O'Day |
| Bolton | Hancock | Oliveira |
| Bonnen | Hardcastle | Olivo |
| Branch | Harless | Orr |
| Brown of Kaufman | Harper-Brown | Ortiz, Jr. |
| Brown of Brazos | Hartnett | Otto |
| Burnam | Heflin | Parker |
| Callegari | Hernandez | Patrick |
| Castro | Herrero | Paxton |
| Chavez | Hilderbran | Pena |
| Chisum | Hill | Phillips |
| Christian | Hochberg | Pickett |
| Cohen | Hodge | Pierson |
| Coleman | Homer | Pitts |
| Cook of Navarro | Hopson | Puente |
| Cook of Colorado | Howard of Fort Bend | Quintanilla |
| Corte | Howard of Travis | Raymond |
| Crabb | Hughes | Riddle |
| Creighton | Isett | Ritter |
| Crownover | Jackson | Rodriguez |
| Darby | Jones | Rose |
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| Davis of Dallas | King of Parker | Smith of Harris |
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| Dukes | Krusee | Straus |
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| Elkins | Lucio III | Truitt |
| England | Macias | Turner |
| Escobar | Madden | Van Arsdale |
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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2418 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 22, 2007.

Chief Clerk of the House