

By: Smith of Tarrant

H.R. No. 2670

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The third anniversary of the establishment of the  
2 Welcome Home a Hero program at DFW International Airport is being  
3 celebrated on June 12, 2007; and

4           WHEREAS, Initiated in 2004, Welcome Home a Hero brings  
5 together volunteers from corporations, youth groups, schools,  
6 civic organizations, and churches; lining the terminal, these  
7 patriotic men and women offer a Texas-size greeting to soldiers  
8 traveling home through DFW from Iraq or Afghanistan; and

9           WHEREAS, Welcome Home a Hero has grown into one of the largest  
10 initiatives of its kind, and it has been recognized with the  
11 prestigious George Washington Honor Medal, presented by the  
12 Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge; and

13           WHEREAS, Demonstrating to our men and women in uniform the  
14 gratitude felt by all Americans, the DFW International Airport and  
15 the North Texas Commission have undertaken a worthwhile endeavor  
16 that truly merits special commendation; now, therefore, be it

17           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
18 Legislature hereby commemorate the third anniversary of the  
19 founding of Welcome Home a Hero and commend all those who have  
20 shared their time with this important program.