

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the heartache felt
2 by family and friends at the loss of U.S. Army Sergeant Anselmo
3 Martinez III of Robstown, who died on May 18, 2007, at the age of 26;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, Sergeant Martinez was killed while bravely serving
6 his country during combat operations in Tahrir, Iraq, with the 1st
7 Battalion, 12th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st
8 Cavalry Division, out of Fort Hood; and

9 WHEREAS, The son of Diana G. Martinez and Anselmo Martinez,
10 Jr., Sergeant Martinez was affectionately known as "Baby Junior,"
11 or B. J. for short; he graduated from Robstown High School, where he
12 was a member of the woodshop club, and joined the army in 2002; and

13 WHEREAS, A devoted family man, he cherished his wife,
14 Christina, and their two young daughters, Felicity and Eliana; in
15 his free time, he enjoyed fishing, especially at Oso Bay; and

16 WHEREAS, Described as funny, sweet, and polite, Anselmo
17 Martinez embodied the highest ideals of the armed services, and the
18 memory of his love and friendship will always be treasured by those
19 who knew him; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
21 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Sergeant Anselmo
22 Martinez III and extend deepest sympathy to the members of his
23 family: to his wife, Christina Martinez; to his children, Felicity
24 and Eliana Martinez; to his mother and father, Diana G. Martinez and

1 Anselmo Martinez, Jr.; to his siblings, Gabriela Espinoza, Belinda
2 Espinoza, Davi Espinoza, Galdina Ibarra, and Alejandro Martinez; to
3 his grandparents, Serapio Garcia, Sr., and Margarita and Anselmo
4 Martinez, Sr.; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be
5 it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
8 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of
9 Sergeant Anselmo Martinez III.

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Craddick	Gattis	Miles
Allen	Geren	Miller
Alonzo	Giddings	Moreno
Anchia	Gonzales	Morrison
Anderson	Gonzalez Toureilles	Mowery
Aycock	Goolsby	Murphy
Bailey	Guillen	Naishtat
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
Davis of Harris	Keffer	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Parker	Smith of Harris
Delisi	King of Taylor	Smithee
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Solomons
Driver	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dukes	Krusee	Straus
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Latham	Talton
Eiland	Laubenberg	Taylor
Eissler	Leibowitz	Thompson
Elkins	Lucio III	Truitt
England	Macias	Turner
Escobar	Madden	Van Arsdale
Farabee	Mallory Caraway	Vaught
Farias	Martinez	Veasey
Farrar	Martinez Fischer	Villarreal
Flores	McCall	Vo
Flynn	McClendon	West
Frost	McReynolds	Woolley
Gallego	Menendez	Zedler
Garcia	Merritt	Zerwas

H.R. No. 2860

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2860 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 26, 2007.

Chief Clerk of the House