

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1209

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Department of Texas Marine Corps League on the occasion of its 37th annual convention, which is being held June 7 through 10, 2007, in San Antonio; and

WHEREAS, A nonprofit veterans' organization comprised of former United States Marines, the Marine Corps League was granted a federal charter by the United States Congress in 1937; and

WHEREAS, One of the primary objectives of the Marine Corps League is to recognize and honor all Marines who have lost their lives; it has dedicated itself to that goal through the Fallen Marine Program, which was implemented in 2002 by Galveston County Detachment 668; and

WHEREAS, It is indeed fitting that all Texans reaffirm their gratitude to those patriots who lost their lives after loyally serving our country and to all Marines who have served our nation and defended its safety and security; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby commend the Department of Texas Marine Corps League for its exemplary work at maintaining unity and pride among former Marines and extend best wishes for a memorable 37th annual convention; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the league as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 27, 2007.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate