

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, U.S. Navy Chief Petty Officer James R. O'Donnell of
2 Austin has rendered outstanding service to this country as a member
3 of the U.S. Navy Reserve; and

4 WHEREAS, Chief Petty Officer O'Donnell joined the Reserve in
5 October 1985, and he served with Naval Mobile Construction
6 Battalion 22 throughout his distinguished 21-year tenure; his
7 duties included training troops and readying them for battle; and

8 WHEREAS, Through his dedication and professionalism, he held
9 such positions as leading petty officer, assistant
10 officer-in-charge, and officer-in-charge of the NMCB 22 Detachment
11 06, in which he oversaw 52 reservists; and

12 WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, Chief Petty Officer
13 O'Donnell has been blessed with the support of his wife, Angie, and
14 his son, Weston; and

15 WHEREAS, Supporting and augmenting active-duty troops,
16 reservists are an integral and vital part of the U.S. Navy, and Jim
17 O'Donnell's generous contributions to his country are most
18 deserving of his fellow citizens' deepest respect and gratitude;
19 now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
21 Legislature hereby honor U.S. Navy Chief Petty Officer James R.
22 O'Donnell for his outstanding service to this country and extend to
23 him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

H.R. No. 524

1 prepared for Chief Petty Officer O'Donnell as an expression of high
2 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

Bolton

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 524 was adopted by the House on March 5, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House