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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The family and friends of U.S. Army Specialist James
- 2 Lee Adair of Carthage suffered an immeasurable loss with the death
- 3 of this valiant soldier in Iraq on June 29, 2007, at the age of 26;
- 4 and
- 5 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry
- 6 Regiment, 4th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division,
- 7 based at Fort Riley, Kansas, Specialist Adair lost his life while
- 8 bravely serving his country in Baghdad; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Lee Adair was born on November 16, 1980, in Cameron
- 10 County and grew up in Carthage, where he was a member of American
- 11 Legion Post No. 353; in 2006, he married the former Chelsea Nation,
- 12 and at the time of his passing, he eagerly awaited the birth of his
- 13 first child, Avery Lee; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Americans owe a profound debt to our nation's
- 15 servicemen and servicewomen, whose courageous efforts and enormous
- 16 sacrifices are deserving of their fellow citizens' deepest respect
- 17 and gratitude; through his unwavering dedication to duty and honor,
- 18 James Lee Adair embodied the highest ideals of the United States
- 19 Army, and memories of his love and friendship will forever be
- 20 cherished by all those who held him dear; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby honor the memory of U.S. Army Specialist James
- 23 Lee Adair and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family:
- 24 to his wife, Chelsea Adair; to his daughter, Avery Lee Adair; to his

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- 1 father, Jimmy Adair; to his mother, Risa Adair; to his sister,
- 2 Amanda Townsend; and to his other relatives and many friends; and,
- 3 be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 6 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Specialist
- 7 James Lee Adair.