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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Frisco City Council voted on May 7, 2013, to name
2 a road in memory of former Frisco resident U.S. Army Corporal Peter
3 John Courcy, who died serving his country in Afghanistan; and

4 WHEREAS, Corporal Courcy was killed by a roadside bomb near
5 Camp Salerno, Afghanistan, on February 10, 2009; a member of the
6 101st Airborne Division out of Fort Campbell, Kentucky, he was 22
7 years old, and he left behind his wife, Mara, his son, Anthony, his
8 mother, Mary Bush, and his father, Jon Mitchell; and

9 WHEREAS, Born at Fort Hood, Peter Courcy graduated in 2004
10 from Frisco High School, where he was a wrestler and a hockey
11 player; he enlisted in the army in 2006, inspired to serve by his
12 grandfather, a veteran of the Vietnam War, and his uncle, who served
13 in the Persian Gulf War; he was treasured by all who knew him for his
14 warmth and sense of humor; and

15 WHEREAS, In recognition of his sacrifice, the Frisco City
16 Council elected to name the entry road to Frisco Commons as Cpl.
17 Peter J. Courcy Circle, and this tribute by grateful citizens of
18 his hometown represents a lasting remembrance of a courageous
19 soldier who gave the last true measure of devotion; now, therefore,
20 be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
22 Legislature hereby commemorate the naming of Cpl. Peter J. Courcy
23 Circle in Frisco and extend to Corporal Courcy's family sincere
24 condolences for the loss of this beloved young man; and, be it

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1 further

2 RESOLVED, That official copies of this resolution be prepared
3 for Corporal Courcy's family and for the City of Frisco as an
4 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.