

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 546

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the United Veterans Burial Association in Alice; and

WHEREAS, This exemplary organization was founded in Alice in 1995 and provides military honors free of charge at funerals for veterans from all branches of the armed forces; these honors include a 21-gun salute, the playing of "Taps," and the presentation of an American flag to family members of the deceased; and

WHEREAS, The association respects all faiths and creeds and works with family members to meet each family's unique needs; over the years, the association has taken part in more than 1,000 funerals for those who have served the nation in the military; and

WHEREAS, The United Veterans Burial Association has worked diligently to ensure that America's veterans receive the respect they deserve, and it is truly fitting that its members be recognized for their service; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby commend the United Veterans Burial Association on its exceptional contributions to the Alice community and extend to its members best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

Hinojosa

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 26, 2013.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate