

1-1 By: Taylor of Galveston, Lucio S.C.R. No. 24  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 9, 2015; March 17, 2015, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Administration;  
1-4 April 8, 2015, reported adversely, with favorable Committee  
1-5 Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; April 8, 2015,  
1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-9	X			
1-10	X			
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1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			

1-16 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.C.R. No. 24 By: Uresti

1-17 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1-18 WHEREAS, Our nation is fortunate to have sons and daughters  
1-19 whose love of country is such that they are willing to risk their  
1-20 lives in its defense, and they are truly deserving of the utmost  
1-21 respect and gratitude; and

1-22 WHEREAS, Legions of Americans stepped forward to serve their  
1-23 nation in the aftermath of September 11, 2001, and their unwavering  
1-24 resolve to combat terrorism in the Global War on Terror helped  
1-25 ensure the safety of millions of people back home and around the  
1-26 globe; and

1-27 WHEREAS, Almost 7,000 United States service members,  
1-28 including 600 Texans, have died in the war to date, and countless  
1-29 more American troops have been wounded; sharing in those sacrifices  
1-30 have been their families and friends; and

1-31 WHEREAS, Under Chapter 443, Government Code, and rules of the  
1-32 State Preservation Board, a portion of the north Capitol grounds is  
1-33 available for new monuments, subject to legislative approval,  
1-34 specified procedural requirements, the provision of funding from  
1-35 private donors, conformity to certain size and design limitations  
1-36 and parameters, and completion on a timely basis; and

1-37 WHEREAS, Members of the Texas Legislature find that a  
1-38 commemorative monument recognizing those Texans who served during  
1-39 the Global War on Terror would be a worthy addition to the Capitol  
1-40 grounds; now, therefore, be it

1-41 RESOLVED, That the 84th Legislature of the State of Texas  
1-42 hereby authorize the State Preservation Board, subject to state law  
1-43 and rules of the board, to approve and permit the construction of a  
1-44 monument at the state Capitol Complex, at a site outside the  
1-45 historic Capitol grounds, honoring Texans who served during the  
1-46 Global War on Terror as part of the United States armed forces and  
1-47 their families; and, be it further

1-48 RESOLVED, That the Texas secretary of state forward an  
1-49 official copy of this resolution to the executive director of the  
1-50 State Preservation Board.

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