

By: King of Parker

H.R. No. 1198

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Major General Charles A. Miller Jr. has rendered  
2 exceptional service to his state and nation during a distinguished  
3 military career spanning more than three decades; and

4           WHEREAS, A graduate of Sam Houston State University, General  
5 Miller was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army  
6 through the ROTC program in 1965; assigned to Fort Hood, he served  
7 as a platoon leader and troop commander in the 2nd Armored Division  
8 and as an assistant range officer, G3, for III Corps; and

9           WHEREAS, General Miller joined the Texas Army National Guard  
10 in 1983; he served the 111th Area Support Group as physical security  
11 officer, service officer, and headquarters company commander, and  
12 he took part in multiple exercises in Germany as rear area  
13 protection officer; he went on to command the 1149th Military  
14 Police Detachment, and he returned to the 111th Area Support Group  
15 as director, serving once again on active duty in Germany and  
16 leading the Security, Plans, and Operations directorate; as plans  
17 and operations officer of the 71st Troop Command, he was contingent  
18 commander of Cooperative Best Effort 1996, a joint NATO exercise;  
19 and

20           WHEREAS, In 2000, General Miller joined the Texas State  
21 Guard, and as J3 plans and operations officer, he coordinated a  
22 major disaster assessment exercise that included more than 20  
23 local, state, and federal agencies; in addition, he coordinated  
24 Electronic Tracking Network training and an online professional

1 military education program for the guard's personnel; he went on to  
2 serve as provost marshal, commander of 2nd Brigade, and plans and  
3 operations officer, culminating in his appointment as the Texas  
4 State Guard's chief of staff; and

5       WHEREAS, This esteemed officer holds a master's degree from  
6 Texas State University, and he is a graduate of the U.S. Army  
7 Command and General Staff College as well as the U.S. Army Armor,  
8 Military Police, and Quartermaster Schools; his decorations  
9 include three Meritorious Service Medals, four Army Commendation  
10 Medals, the Army Achievement Medal, the National Defense Service  
11 Medal, the Lone Star Distinguished Service Medal, the Texas  
12 Outstanding Service Medal, the Texas Medal of Merit, the Texas  
13 Faithful Service Medal, the Texas State Guard Service Medal, and  
14 the Honorable Order of Saint George from the U.S. Armor  
15 Association, among others; and

16       WHEREAS, General Miller has upheld the highest ideals of the  
17 U.S. Army, the Texas Army National Guard, and the Texas State Guard,  
18 and his contributions to the defense of this state and nation are  
19 indeed deserving of our deepest gratitude and respect; now,  
20 therefore, be it

21       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
22 Legislature hereby commend Major General Charles A. Miller Jr. for  
23 his long and distinguished service to our state and nation; and, be  
24 it further

25       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
26 prepared for General Miller as an expression of high regard by the  
27 Texas House of Representatives.