

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

**Whereas**, Private First Class Michael Joshua McCarthy was injured in combat on February 1, 2007, as a result of 120mm rockets being fired into his camp in Iraq, Camp Corregidor, in Ar Ramadi; and

**Whereas**, PFC Michael Joshua McCarthy was awarded the Purple Heart for the injuries he sustained during the attack; and

**Whereas**, PFC Michael Joshua McCarthy joined the United States Army in September of 2005 and received his basic training in Fort Benning, Georgia; and

**Whereas**, PFC Michael Joshua McCarthy was stationed in Fort Carson, Colorado, prior to being deployed to Iraq in October of 2006 as part of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Division 1-9, Dog Company; and

**Whereas**, PFC Michael Joshua McCarthy is the beloved son of Michael and Marsha McCarthy and brother of Chelcie McCarthy, of Lowry City, Missouri:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, extend our heartfelt gratitude to PFC Michael Joshua McCarthy for his service, his courage and his sacrifice in this terrible conflict; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to PFC Michael Joshua McCarthy.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Larry D. Wilson  
District No. 119

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker