
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

URGING THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO ADOPT
THE VETERANS REMEMBERED FLAG.

1 WHEREAS, it is estimated that more than twenty million
2 veterans, affiliated and unaffiliated with veterans'
3 organizations, have served in the United States armed services;
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6 WHEREAS, there are flags honoring all branches of the armed
7 services, as well as flags for POWs and MIAs, but there is no
8 official flag to honor military veterans and the service that
9 they have provided to the nation; and

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11 WHEREAS, a flag to honor veterans would provide an enduring
12 symbol of gratitude for the contributions that veterans have
13 made to the nation; and

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15 WHEREAS, the Sonoma Veterans Memorial Park Association has
16 designed the Veterans Remembered Flag, the symbolism of which
17 pays respect to the history of the nation, all branches of the
18 armed services, and those veterans who have served or died in
19 service of the nation; and

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21 WHEREAS, the Veterans Remembered Flag has been recognized
22 by sixteen states to date, as well as the United States Navy
23 Memorial Foundation and the American Legion at four California
24 state conventions; now, therefore,

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26 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
27 Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
28 of 2012, the Senate concurring, that the President and Congress
29 of the United States are urged to adopt the Veterans Remembered
30 Flag; and

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
 2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the President of the
 3 United States, Majority Leader of the United States Senate,
 4 Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, members
 5 of Hawaii's congressional delegation, and the President of the
 6 Sonoma Veterans Memorial Park Association.

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