

House Bill 2762

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SUMMARY

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Designates May 8 of each year as Military Appreciation Day.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to United States Armed Forces.

3 Whereas Oregonians have a long-standing tradition of serving in the Armed Forces of the United
4 States, with thousands of Oregonians giving their lives in defense of this country; and

5 Whereas the contributions of Oregon military personnel have been vital to maintaining the
6 freedoms and way of life that Americans cherish; and

7 Whereas it is vital to raise awareness of the sacrifices that our brave men and women in uni-
8 form have made in the past and continue to make in order to defend the United States Constitution
9 and to preserve the liberties that enrich this great nation; and

10 Whereas it is important to recognize and honor the sacrifices, support and dedication of the
11 families of the men and women who have served; and

12 Whereas Oregonians recognize the importance of maintaining a strong, well-equipped, well-
13 educated and well-trained military to safeguard freedoms and maintain peacekeeping missions
14 around the world; now, therefore,

15 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

16 **SECTION 1.** **May 8 of each year shall be known as Military Appreciation Day.**
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