## **Enrolled**

## **House Concurrent Resolution 22**

Sponsored by Representative OLSON

Whereas Corporal Robert "Bobby" Leon Jones was born in Oregon City on September 30, 1983; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones moved with his family to Milwaukie, Oregon, and graduated from Rex Putnam High School in 2002; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones joined the United States Army the following year because he wanted to serve his country; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones was assigned to the 40th Engineer Battalion, based in Baumholder, Germany; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones enjoyed camping, hunting, fishing and listening to music; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones loved spending time with his family and, during his time overseas, bought his mother a computer so they could stay connected; and

Whereas in addition to his intention of attending college upon returning home, Corporal Robert Jones' goals in life had been to open a business with his brother and to buy a house for his parents; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones, known for his practical jokes and constant grin, will always be remembered for his good nature, generosity and friendliness and for his ability to make people laugh; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones had a serious side, exemplified by his dedication in taking care of his family and by the manner in which he lived out his ideals of duty, honor and country; and

Whereas while serving in his second tour in Iraq, Corporal Robert Jones was killed during combat operations in Ramadi on June 17, 2006, when an improvised explosive device detonated near his Humvee; and

Whereas Corporal Robert Jones was survived by his parents, Brenda and Jerry Dowell, and his brother, Jerry Jones; now, therefore,

## Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

That we, the members of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly, recognize and honor Corporal Robert "Bobby" Leon Jones for his service to his country.

Adopted by House April 17, 2017
Timothy G. Sekerak, Chief Clerk of House
Tina Kotek, Speaker of House
Adopted by Senate May 23, 2017
Peter Courtney President of Senate