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HOUSE MEMORIAL 28

52ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2015

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A MEMORIAL

RECOGNIZING THE MUSEUM OF THE AMERICAN MILITARY FAMILY AND
LEARNING CENTER AND THE IMPORTANCE OF THE AMERICAN MILITARY
FAMILY.

WHEREAS, since September 11, 2001, more than two million
United States military service members have been deployed to
serve multiple tours in dangerous combat zones thousands of
miles from home to protect America; and

WHEREAS, families of military service members also serve,
managing challenges and opportunities unique to the military
lifestyle; and

WHEREAS, although there are museums, monuments and
memorials honoring the men and women who have served or are
currently serving in the military, there are no such
institutions honoring the service of their families; and

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1 WHEREAS, the museum of the American military family and
2 learning center in Albuquerque provides a forum for people with
3 shared and converging paths to come together as a community,
4 inspiring a sense of history; and

5 WHEREAS, the mission of the museum of the American
6 military family and learning center is to bring together people
7 with shared experiences to showcase and honor the service of
8 America's military families; and

9 WHEREAS, the museum of the American military family and
10 learning center provides a forum for the spouses, children,
11 parents, grandparents and others who have loved and supported a
12 member of the military; and

13 WHEREAS, the museum of the American military family and
14 learning center is a repository of stories, letters, documents
15 and photos of military family members throughout the nation's
16 history; and

17 WHEREAS, the museum of the American military family and
18 learning center currently exists online with expansion plans
19 that include a permanent home for seven former 1940s military
20 housing units that the museum received as gifts; and

21 WHEREAS, the museum of the American military family and
22 learning center also hosts traveling exhibits, educational
23 events, partners with other groups to sponsor and produce film
24 and drama programs and conducts workshops and ceremonies; and

25 WHEREAS, by honoring the families of service men and

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1 women, the museum of the American military family and learning
2 center enriches America's great military traditions;

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
4 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the museum of
5 the American military family and learning center be recognized
6 for its contributions to honoring the American military family;
7 and

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be
9 transmitted to the museum of the American military family and
10 learning center.