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HOUSE MEMORIAL 26

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

INTRODUCED BY

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A MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION TO
ENCOURAGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RECOGNIZE VETERANS' DAY AND TO
CREATE A PROGRAM TO TEACH STUDENTS ABOUT THE CONTRIBUTIONS
MADE BY VETERANS.

WHEREAS, many Americans, including many New Mexicans,
were called to serve their country; and

WHEREAS, veterans made incredible sacrifices while they
served abroad, not only by risking life and limb but also by
being away from their families and friends; and

WHEREAS, many students are unaware of the great
contributions and the acts of bravery that many veterans made
in the line of duty, both in active combat and in performing
other duties; and

WHEREAS, New Mexican veterans could serve as valuable

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1 resources about the realities and horrors of war to students
2 in the public schools;

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
4 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the state
5 department of public education encourage public schools
6 throughout the state to recognize veterans' day; and

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that veterans be invited to
8 classes in middle schools throughout the state to share their
9 experiences with students; and

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
11 transmitted to the superintendent of public instruction and to
12 the legislative education study committee.

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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your EDUCATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred
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14 has had it under consideration and reports same with
15 recommendation that it DO PASS.
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17 Respectfully submitted,
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21 Rick Miera, Chairman
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The roll call vote was 15 For 0 Against

Yes: 15

Excused: None

Absent: Marquardt

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