

## HOUSE RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_

Introduced by: Frye R

## A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring Judy King.

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Whereas, Judy King has served her country through her time
 with the U.S. Army and now honors her fellow veterans by
 advocating for their needs;

Whereas, Judy King first enlisted in the Army in 1986 and completed her Basic Training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.
She transferred to the Army reserves and received an honorable discharge in April of 1994. She reenlisted in 2007 and attended training for IT specialists at Fort Gordon, Georgia;

Whereas, In January of 2009, Judy King was deployed with an MP unit to Bagdad, Iraq. Their mission was to keep track of detainees for the Pentagon and oversee the closing of U.S. base camps as they moved the detainees. Her camp often received incoming mortar rounds. During this, she would pray to get

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1	home safely and she would promise to help others when she
2	returned;
3	Whereas, Her greatest military accomplishment was being
4	selected for Warrant Officer Candidate School, though she was
5	unable to attend due to being medically retired in January of
6	2012;
7	Whereas, When Judy King did get home safely, she made
8	good on her promise to help others. She decided to make Quilts
9	of Honor for her fellow veterans after she received one herself.
10	She formed the Old Glory Quilters in Parke County and
11	together they have presented over 1,500 quilts to date,
12	providing comfort to those who ensure our comfort and safety;
13	Whereas, In January of 2016, Judy King found a new way to
14	fulfill her promise, when she was invited to the Indiana
15	Statehouse for Indiana Military & Veterans Legislative Day.
16	For the past seven years, she has worked with the AMVETS, the
17	DAV, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars legislative teams to get
18	bills passed to benefit our veterans;
19	Whereas, Judy King has dedicated her life to serving others
20	through her military service and now her passion for
21	preserving the dignity and well-being of our veterans; and
22	Whereas, Judy King has served her country with bravery and
23	valor and now serves fellow veterans in her community and
24	throughout the state by keeping their best interests at heart and
25	in the minds of our state legislators; Therefore,
26	Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the
27	General Assembly of the State of Indiana:
28	SECTION 1. The Indiana House of Representatives honors
29	Judy King.
30	SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
31	Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to the
32	office of State Representative Randall Frye.
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