1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024) 3 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1014 By: Kendrix of the House 4 and 5 Howard of the Senate 6 7 8 9 AS INTRODUCED 10 A Concurrent Resolution recognizing May 10 as Military Spouse Appreciation Day; recognizing and 11 honoring the contributions and sacrifices of military spouses; expressing appreciation for military spouse 12 service. 1.3 14 15 WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma recognizes the invaluable 16 contributions and sacrifices made by military spouses in support of 17 our Nation's armed forces; and 18 WHEREAS, military spouses demonstrate unwavering strength, 19 resilience, and dedication while facing unique challenges associated 20 with frequent relocations, deployments, and separations from their 21 loved ones; and 22 WHEREAS, military spouses serve as the backbone of support for 23 our service members, families, and communities, embodying the spirit 24 of patriotism and selflessness; and

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WHEREAS, on this Military Spouse Appreciation Day, we honor and express our deepest gratitude to the military spouses of Oklahoma for their steadfast commitment, sacrifices, and unwavering support to our Nation's defenders;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 59TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature recognizes May 10 as Military Spouse Appreciation Day in Oklahoma.

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature recognizes and honors the extraordinary contributions and sacrifices of our military spouses and to express our heartfelt appreciation for their service to the State of Oklahoma and the Nation.

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