## HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6030

A RESOLUTION designating May 8 as Military Family Appreciation Day.

WHEREAS, Kansans have a long-standing tradition of serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, with thousands of Kansans giving their lives in defense of this country; and

WHEREAS, The contributions of Kansas military personnel have been vital to maintaining the freedoms and way of life that Americans cherish; and

WHEREAS, It is vital to raise awareness of the sacrifices that our brave men and women in uniform have made in the past and continue to make in order to defend the United States Constitution and to preserve the liberties that enrich this great nation; and

WHEREAS, It is also important to recognize and honor the sacrifices, support and dedication of the families of the men and women who have served in our armed forces; and

WHEREAS, Kansans recognize the importance of maintaining a strong, well-equipped, well-educated and well-trained military to safeguard freedoms and maintain peacekeeping missions around the world: Now, therefore.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we designate May 8 as Military Family Appreciation Day in appreciation for the innumerable sacrifices and contributions they make in serving our country.

House Resolution No. 6030 was sponsored by Representative Jerry D. Williams.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the House, and was adopted by that body

_	Speaker of the House.
_	Chief Clerk of the House.