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6 By: Senator T. Smith

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9 **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

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11 FOR THE OUTSTANDING SERVICE PROVIDED THE STATE
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25 WHEREAS, Job Corps is an education and training program for
26 economically challenged youth administered by the United States Department of
27 Labor through one hundred nineteen centers located throughout the United
28 States, Columbia, and Puerto Rico; and

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30 WHEREAS, there are three Job Corps centers in Arkansas, the Little Rock
31 Job Corps Center in Little Rock, the Cass Job Corps Center in Ozark, and the
32 Ouachita Job Corps Center in Royal; and

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34 WHEREAS, Job Corps training consists of five stages: Outreach and
35 Admission; Career Preparation Period; Career Development Period; Career
36 Transitional Period; and Career Advisor, and the fundamental goal of Job



1 Corps is to prepare students for and help them to achieve career objectives
2 through an individual personalized plan, and further to assist them to find
3 jobs, transportation, housing, healthcare, urban forestry, and other
4 necessities after graduation; and

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6 WHEREAS, the three Job Corps centers in Arkansas serve over fourteen
7 hundred students each year and provide training for those students in twenty-
8 two different trades ranging from business and office technology to cement
9 masonry; and

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11 WHEREAS, the three centers in Arkansas are committed to the success of
12 each student and are performing an outstanding service to the state and the
13 students at the centers,

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15 NOW THEREFORE,

16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-FOURTH GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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19 The Arkansas General Assembly hereby commends the Little Rock Job Corps
20 Center, the Cass Job Corps Center at Ozark, Arkansas, and the Ouachita Job
21 Corps Center at Royal, Arkansas, for the invaluable service provided the
22 state and the people of Arkansas, and expresses sincere appreciation to the
23 staff of those centers for their outstanding services.

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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that March 26, 2003, is designated "Job Corps
26 Recognition Day" in Arkansas.