

1 State of Arkansas
2 86th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2007

HMR 1001

4
5 By: Representatives D. Creekmore, George
6
7

8 HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

9 IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. MICHAEL LYNN MASHBURN

10 Subtitle

11
12 IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. MICHAEL LYNN
13 MASHBURN
14
15

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Michael Lynn Mashburn of Little Rock, Arkansas, died on
17 October 18, 2005, at the age of forty-five (45) years; and
18

19 WHEREAS, at the time of death, Michael Mashburn was employed in the
20 heavy equipment transportation industry and, unfortunately, died while
21 honorably performing the job that provided for him and his family; and
22

23 WHEREAS, the family and friends of Michael Mashburn mourn his loss and
24 will forever remember his life as being suddenly and unexpectedly taken in
25 the prime of his life; and
26

27 WHEREAS, the brother of Michael Mashburn, James Mashburn, has, in the
28 face of personal tragedy caused by the loss of his beloved brother, worked
29 tirelessly at the local, state, and federal level to address the issues of
30 occupational safety that surround the death of Michael Mashburn; and
31

32 WHEREAS, the occupational safety issues related to Michael Mashburn's
33 death on which James Mashburn is working include the improvement of the
34 safety of road construction sites and the overall compliance of contractors
35 and employers with the requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health
36 Administration (OSHA) regulations; and



1
2 WHEREAS, the three (3) primary safety concerns that James Mashburn has
3 identified as needing to be addressed when heavy equipment is unloaded at
4 road construction sites to prevent another family from losing a loved one
5 under similar tragic circumstances are the use of wooden supports, mats, or
6 floaters; the improper use of cranes; the training of employees in first aid
7 procedures if the employee is involved in the unloading of heavy equipment;
8 and the availability of medical equipment at the job sites; and
9

10 WHEREAS, the House of the Eighty-Sixth General Assembly wishes to
11 publicly remember Mr. Michael Lynn Mashburn,
12

13 NOW THEREFORE,

14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE
15 OF ARKANSAS:
16

17 THAT the individual members of the House of Representatives hereby
18 express sincere condolences to the family of Mr. Michael Lynn Mashburn and
19 recognize the tireless efforts of his brother, James Mashburn, to improve job
20 site safety, and upon adoption of this resolution, an appropriate copy shall
21 be provided to the family of Mr. Mashburn by the Chief Clerk of the House of
22 Representatives.
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35
36