

House Resolution 841

By: Representatives Werkheiser of the 157th, Yates of the 73rd, Petrea of the 166th, Hitchens of the 161st, Bryant of the 162nd, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Lamar Smith Signature Homes; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Lamar Smith Signature Homes has founded the nonprofit Operation Hero
3 House, which will build specially designed homes and give them, free of charge, to United
4 States service members who have been wounded in action; and
- 5 WHEREAS, more than 40,000 wounded troops have come home since the War on Terror
6 began in 2001; many of them require homes that are specially equipped and modified to
7 accommodate their specific physical needs; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Hank Brady and his wife, Maria, will be presented with a brand new home,
9 mortgage-free, located in Savannah, Georgia; and
- 10 WHEREAS, after completing the Infantry Officer Leader Course, Mr. Brady was sent
11 directly to Afghanistan where he had the opportunity to work with the Army's Special Forces
12 along with 14 other incredible Army soldiers; his time in Afghanistan was cut short when a
13 rocket propelled grenade struck the back of his vehicle and he was injured on his left hand,
14 right bicep, face, and left thigh; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Operation Hero House has made coming home a lot easier for Mr. Brady and
16 many other troops who have been wounded while giving their service to protect the United
17 States.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body commend Lamar Smith Signature Homes for their dedication to
20 helping wounded military troops.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Lamar
23 Smith Signature Homes.