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**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 20-013**

101      **CONCERNING RECOGNITION OF MILITARY PERSONNEL FROM**  
102              **COLORADO WHO HAVE SERVED AROUND THE WORLD IN THE**  
103              **ONGOING WAR AGAINST TERRORISM AND HONORING THOSE WHO**  
104              **HAVE DIED WHILE SERVING THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM.**

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1              WHEREAS, Thousands of military personnel from Colorado have  
2 served around the world in the ongoing war against terrorism, including  
3 troops based at Fort Carson, the United States Air Force Academy,  
4 Peterson Air Force Base, and Buckley Air Force Base; members of the  
5 Colorado National Guard, Army Reserve, and Marine Corps Reserve; and  
6 troops from Colorado who are deployed with military units based in other  
7 states; and

8              WHEREAS, On March 22, 2019, Sgt. 1st Class Will D. Lindsay,  
9 33, of Cortez, Colorado, a member of the United States Army assigned to

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
*Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.*  
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Amended Final Rdg  
February 7, 2020

1 2nd Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group (Airborne), based at Fort  
2 Carson, Colorado, made the ultimate sacrifice while serving his country  
3 in Operation Freedom's Sentinel; and

4 WHEREAS, On March 22, 2019, Sgt. Joseph P. Collette, 29, of  
5 Lancaster, Ohio, a member of the United States Army assigned to 242nd  
6 Ordnance Battalion, 71st Explosive Ordnance Disposal Group, based at  
7 Fort Carson, Colorado, made the ultimate sacrifice while serving his  
8 country in Operation Freedom's Sentinel; and

9 WHEREAS, On June 25, 2019, Master Sgt. Michael B. Riley, 32,  
10 of Heilbronn, Germany, a member of the United States Army assigned to  
11 2nd Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group (Airborne), based at Fort  
12 Carson, Colorado, made the ultimate sacrifice while serving his country  
13 in Operation Freedom's Sentinel; and

14 WHEREAS, On June 30, 2019, Sgt. 1st Class Elliott J. Robbins,  
15 31, of Ogden, Utah, a member of the United States Army assigned to 10th  
16 Special Forces Group (Airborne), based at Fort Carson, Colorado, made  
17 the ultimate sacrifice while serving his country in Operation Freedom's  
18 Sentinel; and

19 WHEREAS, On July 13, 2019, Sgt. Maj. James G. "Ryan" Sartor,  
20 40, of Teague, Texas, a member of the United States Army assigned to  
21 2nd Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group (Airborne), based at Fort  
22 Carson, Colorado, made the ultimate sacrifice while serving his country  
23 in Operation Freedom's Sentinel; and

24 WHEREAS, On August 11, 2019, Gunnery Sgt. Scott A.  
25 Koppenhafer, of Mancos, Colorado, a member of the United States  
26 Marine Corps assigned to 2nd Marine Raider Battalion, Marine Forces  
27 Special Operations Command, based at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina,  
28 made the ultimate sacrifice while serving his country in Operation  
29 Inherent Resolve; now, therefore,

30 *Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Seventy-second General*  
31 *Assembly of the State of Colorado, the House of Representatives*  
32 *concurring herein:*

33 That we, the members of the Seventy-second General Assembly  
34 of the state of Colorado:

1           (1) Remember and honor these and all Coloradans who have  
2 given their lives in service to their country;

3           (2) Express our sympathy to the families and friends of those  
4 service members who have died; and

5           (3) Honor the service, dedication, and valor of all military  
6 personnel from Colorado who have served and are currently serving in  
7 military operations around the world.