

**Senator Gillmor**

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**RESOLUTION**

Honoring Corporal Daniel Gire as a Silver Star recipient.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Corporal Daniel Gire on receiving a Silver Star for exceptional military service; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Gire is a remarkable individual, for he combined courage and dedication with tremendous strength and resolve throughout his loyal service with the United States Marine Corps. Serving in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom, he displayed gallantry during combat operations in Ramadi on February 13, 2007, and as a result, he has been awarded a Silver Star; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Gire demonstrated an unwavering commitment to performing his duties and fulfilling his responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and competence, and he certainly distinguished himself as a patriotic and hard-working American. Giving of his time, energy, and abilities far beyond what was required or expected, he earned the respect and admiration of all those with whom he served and the gratitude of Americans everywhere; and

WHEREAS, The heroic traditions of our armed forces are an important part of our nation's heritage, and Daniel Gire worked diligently to perpetuate these traditions. As he reflects on his military service, he has the satisfaction of knowing that he provided a valuable service to our country and established a record of achievement worthy of emulation; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Corporal Daniel Gire on his outstanding service and salute him as one of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Corporal Daniel Gire.