

ENROLLED SENATE
CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 27

By: Snyder, Aldridge, Branan,
Brogdon, Cain, Capps, Coates,
Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield,
Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher,
Ford, Gumm, Harrison, Helton,
Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr,
Laster, Laughlin, Lawler,
Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox,
Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers,
Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon,
Reynolds, Riley, Robinson,
Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Taylor,
Wilcoxson, Wilkerson, Williams
and Williamson of the Senate

and

Pettigrew, Adair, Adkins,
Armes, Askins, Balkman, Bengel,
Blackburn, Blackwell, Bonny,
Boren, Braddock, Brannon,
Calvey, Carey, Cargill, Case,
Claunch, Coleman, Covey, Cox,
Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf,
DeWitt, Dorman, Easley, Eddins,
Ellis, Ericson, Erwin,
Ferguson, Gilbert, Graves,
Greenwood, Hamilton, Harrison,
Hastings, Hefner, Hiett,
Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire,
Jones, Kirby, Lamons,
Langmacher, Leist, Lerblance,
Lindley, Liotta, Maddux,
McCarter, McClain, McIntyre,
Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray),
Mitchell, Morgan (Danny),
Morgan (Fred), Nance, Nations,
Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry,
Peters, Peterson, Phillips,
Piatt, Plunk, Pope, Reynolds,
Rice, Roan, Roberts, Roggow,
Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith
(Hopper), Smithson, Staggs,
Stanley, Steele, Sullivan,
Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure,
Trebilcock, Turner, Tyler,
Vaughn, Walker, Wells, Wilson,
Wilt, Winchester, Worthen,
Wright and Young of the House

A Concurrent Resolution commending Major General Jerry W. Grizzle; expressing pride in his position of responsibility; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, he is the commander no one wants to see. He is Major General Jerry W. Grizzle, the Commander of Joint Task Force-Civil Support (JTF-Civil Support). JTF-Civil Support is the United States Department of Defense organization tasked with consequence management in event of an attack on the United States by an enemy or terrorist organization using weapons of mass destruction; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Grizzle epitomizes the Citizen-Soldier. He holds a BS degree in Accounting from Southwestern Oklahoma State University and an MBA from the University of Central Oklahoma. Jerry Grizzle has successfully merged a business career in the private sector with meeting obligations in the public sector as a member of the Oklahoma Army National Guard; and

WHEREAS, Oklahoma native Jerry Grizzle's military career began in 1972 when he was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant infantry officer. His military career in the Oklahoma Army National Guard has progressed ever since. As Deputy Commander of the Infantry Brigade, he participated in the security effort following the April 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. General Grizzle also served as Commander of the 90th Troop Command and Commander of the 45th Brigade, both with the Oklahoma Army National Guard; and

WHEREAS, Major General Jerry Grizzle served concurrently as Vice-Director for Joint Training of J-7 and Vice-Commander of the Joint Warfighting Center of U.S. Joint Forces Command in 2001. Since then General Grizzle has served as Commander, Joint Task Force Civil Support (JTF-CS). He was promoted to Major General in April 2002; and

WHEREAS, Major General Jerry Grizzle, as Commander of JTF-CS, provides command and control over Department of Defense consequence management forces following a chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, or high-yield explosive incident in the United States, its territories or possessions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 49TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature commends and honors Major General Jerry W. Grizzle whose accomplishments enhance the image of the Great State of Oklahoma and congratulates him upon his promotion to Major General.

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature expresses its pride that Major General Jerry W. Grizzle, a native Oklahoman, is in his current vital position of responsibility as Commander, Joint Task Force-Civil Support.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Major General Jerry W. Grizzle, the Oklahoma Army National Guard, and the 45th Infantry Museum.

Adopted by the Senate the 7th day of May, 2003.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 7th day of May, 2003.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives