

THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION: 08-6-C
SUBMITTED BY: 3rd District of The American Legion, Department of Michigan
SUBJECT: Re-Listing of Taps in the Michigan Legionnaire Publication

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WHEREAS, The American Legion is an organization devoted to honoring those that served this nation; and

WHEREAS, Collectively, we offer a safe haven for those needing guidance or given an opportunity to serve one more time; and

WHEREAS, In Michigan, the successes of these Posts are found in the Michigan Legionnaire; and

WHEREAS, The articles written are about veterans, by veterans; and

WHEREAS, Is a wonderful piece of information save one area, that of listing those that have answered their final call on the Department's website; and

WHEREAS, It is **UNACCEPTABLE** that Taps has been removed from the Michigan Legionnaire; and

WHEREAS, It is left to those that happen by on the internet to read of a comrade's demise; and

WHEREAS, The personal touch of placing the names of our veterans who have died in the State's publication for all to read is far better than offering it to the Web; and

WHEREAS, We have veterans from all ages who most solely rely on printed material; and

WHEREAS, The Michigan Legionnaire is, in part, funded from each Legion member in this state so we do have a voice of how this money is used; and