October 1st, 2019 Silver Taps Resolution

"A resolution honoring William "Zach" Elder and Jedidiah Talom who were honored at Silver Taps held on October 1st, 2019."

Action Taken: PASSED

Certified By: Eric Mendoza
Speaker of the Senate

Date Passed: 

Introduced By: John Ryan Rodriguez, Legislative Affairs Chair, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Caucus

Sponsored By: Bubba Harris, Finance Committee Chair, Off-campus Caucus
Suyash Gupta, Executive Director of Operations, Off-campus Caucus
Ryan Carlson, College of Education and Human Development Caucus
Aaron Wood, College of Engineering Caucus
Cody McQueen, Off-campus Caucus
Hannah Hardison, Off-campus Caucus
Josh Feldman, Off-campus Caucus

Whereas(1): Silver Taps is a sacred, time-honored tradition of Texas A&M University that serves as one of the final tributes the student body makes to students who have passed during the month(s) leading up to the service; and,

Whereas(2): This solemn tradition was established in 1898 to commemorate the life of Lawrence Sullivan Ross, and has been preserved for over a century to pay homage to those we have lost since; and,

Whereas(3): As long as Texas A&M University continues to serve and educate those who walk her campus, Silver Taps will remain as a stable of the Aggie way of life.
Therefore
Let it be
Resolved(1): The Texas A&M University Student Senate recognizes and commends those who took the time on Tuesday, October 1st, 2019 to honor the members of our Aggie family we have lost, as well as all who have been, are, and will be involved with the preservation and regular facilitation of Silver Taps; and,

Let it be
Further
Resolved(2): The Texas A&M University Student Senate gives its sincerest condolences to the families and friends of William "Zach" Elder and Jedidiah Talom, who were honored at Silver Taps held on October 1st, 2019; and,

Let it be
Further
Resolved(3): The Texas A&M University Student Senate joins the rest of the student body in celebrating the lives of William "Zach" Elder and Jedidiah Talom, for "We are the Aggies, the Aggies are we"; and,

Let it be
Further
Resolved(4): A copy of this resolution be sent to:

Michael Jaillet, Student Body President
The Families of William "Zach" Elder and Jedidiah Talom
The Battalion
Traditions Council