

By Representative Bullard

1 House Resolution

2 A resolution recognizing John R. Brice.

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4 WHEREAS, John R. Brice joined the Marines at age 17 to  
5 serve his country during World War II, and

6 WHEREAS, John "Bob" Brice saw action on Guadalcanal,  
7 Bougainville, Green Island, Guam, and Iwo Jima, and

8 WHEREAS, after the war, Bob Brice graduated from the  
9 University of Michigan and joined his family in starting a  
10 resort business in Cuba, where he later married his wife  
11 Norma, and

12 WHEREAS, after Bob and Norma Brice moved to Miami, he  
13 founded an advertising company, many of the customers of which  
14 suffered devastating losses from Hurricane Andrew, and

15 WHEREAS, Bob Brice allowed his home, one of few to be  
16 spared by the hurricane, to be used by his less fortunate  
17 neighbors as a shelter for many weeks after the hurricane's  
18 devastation and worked indefatigably to help his neighbors and  
19 his business customers to rebuild their homes and businesses  
20 after the hurricane, NOW, THEREFORE,

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22 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of  
23 Florida:

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25 That the House of Representatives recognizes the  
26 service of John R. Brice during World War II and the  
27 achievements and contributions of his life.