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Flynn Comments on House Committee Assignments

Austin, Texas - In addition to his recent appointment as Chairman of the Sportsman Caucus, today State Representative Dan Flynn was recognized for his outstanding work on the Texas/Mexico Border specifically and his overall contributions to Homeland Security by being appointed to the Texas State House of Representative's Committees on *Defense and Veterans' Affairs* and *Homeland Security and Public Safety*. In his new role, Representative Flynn will be working on the State's response to the crisis on the Texas-Mexico Border, Homeland Security Issues, and Veterans' needs as well as addressing the lack of response from the Federal Government to these vital concerns.

"The Federal Government has failed to protect the citizens of Texas by adequately securing the border and has placed us all at risk. I plan to work and support a strong statewide response and to find ways to strengthen our military and public safety teams to better serve Texans," stated Flynn.

Representative Flynn has extensive experience in Homeland Security, is the current Vice Chair of the National Conference of State Legislators (NCSL) Standing Committees and actively serves on the military affairs component of that Conference, is formerly a member of the U.S. Army , currently

holds the rank of Commander in the Maritime Regiment of the State Guard, Texas Military Forces and has deployed to the Border in support of State Disasters including recent Hurricanes making his experience vital to the committee's success.

He recently visited the border concentrating on Falcon Lake and Brownsville examining cross border violence issues and escorted Tiffany Hartley, whose husband was killed by members of the Mexican Cartels on Falcon Lake, to the border limits of the Lake for a memorial service and appeared in the National Press on this incident.

Representative Flynn will continue to listen and interact with all stakeholder's in the Homeland Security arena because he firmly believes that elected officials are responsible to those who placed him in office and they are demanding their borders become secure and that veterans' issues are addressed. Representative Flynn is a noted leader in the conservative cause and he is very dedicated to ensuring that America's moral, religious, and constitutional foundation are remembered and respected. Representative Flynn is a strong State's Rights supporter and believes that the citizens are the ones in which the power is vested.

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