

House Resolution No. 482

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize the meritorious achievements of an outstanding Missourian who has distinguished himself through many years of excellence in law enforcement; and

Whereas, David J. Pacino, an esteemed resident of Chesterfield, Missouri, will officially retire from the City of Hazelwood Police Department on March 5, 2002, after three decades of exceptional service and dedication; and

Whereas, Lieutenant David Pacino has completed the many stringent duties and tasks placed before him throughout his impressive tenure as a Neighborhood Patrol Team Supervisor, prior to which time he served the Department as a Patrolman, Detective, Public Relations Officer, Administration Supervisor, Patrol Supervisor, and Juvenile Officer; and

Whereas, a former member of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department where he served as a Patrolman for one and a half years, Lieutenant Pacino received his Certification of Law Enforcement from Brigham Young University, his Bachelor's degree from Tarkio College, and his Master's degree from National-Louis University; and

Whereas, the 1974 Missouri Police Officer of the Year, Lieutenant Pacino earned numerous commendations from the Department and letters of thanks from citizens of the community for his willingness to assist in the most dangerous of situations; and

Whereas, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body should pay tribute to Lieutenant Pacino, a remarkable individual and stellar law enforcement officer whose unwavering commitment to the Department and to the City of Hazelwood continues to serve as an inspiration to all who know and work with him:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Lieutenant Pacino for his thirty years of unparalleled service to th Hazelwood Police Department and to the citizenry of Hazelwood, and in wishing him a long, rewarding, and enjoyable retirement with ample time to continue his studies at Saint Louis University; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Lieutenant David J. Pacino.

Offered by _____
 Representative Michael J. Reid
 District No. 78

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 482, adopted February 26, 2002.

 Jim Kreider, Speaker