

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives enjoy a long, proud tradition of meeting their responsibilities to the citizens of this state while upholding the virtues represented by the "Glory of Missouri": Knowledge, Liberty, Equality, Law, Justice, Fraternity, Education, Progress, Honor, Truth, Virtue, Temperance, Enterprise, and Charity; and

Whereas, the "Glory of Missouri" virtues were engraved in the House Chamber of the State Capitol in the early 1920s under the direction of the Decorating Commission with the inscription: "All the foregoing human qualities bind into one theme, the Glory of Missouri because no people attain these virtues unless they are great."; and

Whereas, the "Glory of Missouri" Award was created to encourage the values held by the early leaders of Missouri and to recognize those standards as exemplified in our schools and communities by this state's young people who are the future of Missouri; and

Whereas, Nicole Lynn Galkowski, a student at Rockwood South Middle School in Fenton, has been selected to receive the "Glory of Missouri" Award for her accomplishments in the area of ENTERPRISE as defined by Webster's dictionary in 1926: "Willingness or eagerness to engage in what requires boldness, energy; an attempt or project, especially one which involves activity, courage, energy, or the like of arduous attempt."; and

Whereas, the daughter of Mike and Linda Galkowski, Nicole is an innovative young lady whose strength in leadership comes from preparation, efficiency, honesty, punctuality, and being meticulous when striving to help her classmates focus on learning and bring to fruition various projects; and

Whereas, Nicole is known for her general zest and overall vivacity which are especially evident by the manner in which she pursues the activities of the National Junior Honor Society and her participation in such sports as basketball, softball, and horseback riding:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously in commending Nicole Lynn Galkowski for her noteworthy achievements in the pursuit of ENTERPRISE and in congratulating her at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; 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 Nicole Lynn Galkowski, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
 Representative Rick Johnson
 District No. 90

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. ____, adopted _____, 2002.

 Jim Kreider, Speaker

