

House Resolution No. 362

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize outstanding employees of the Show-Me State; and

Whereas, Officer Billy Joe Homan of Syracuse, Missouri, will retire from his position as Corrections Officer I at Boonville Correctional Center on March 1, 2003, after twenty years of steadfast and admirable service with the Missouri Department of Corrections; and

Whereas, one of the first employed at Boonville Correctional Center, Officer Billy Homan began his career in July 1983 before there were fences, uniforms, and radios; and

Whereas, Officer Billy Homan first accepted the duties of Dorm Officer in Housing Units #3 and #4 prior to assuming the responsibilities of Relief Officer and Roving Patrol; and

Whereas, in February 1987, Officer Billy Homan received a letter of commendation from Superintendent David Miller for his professionalism and dedication in assisting in the apprehension of an escaped offender during hazardous weather; and

Whereas, named Employee of the Month in November 1992, Officer Billy Homan became a Roving Patrol the same year, since which time he has played an instrumental role in providing other officers with on-the-job-training and has assisted in Food Service, Housing Units, Medical Officer, Transportation, Segregation, and in the Major's office; and

Whereas, Officer Billy Homan has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife of thirty-nine years, Linda Homan; two sons, Barry Homan and Charlie Homan; and two grandsons, C.J. and B.J.:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Billy Homan upon his retirement from Boonville Correctional Center and in wishing him the long, enjoyable, and fruitful retirement he so justly deserves with ample opportunity to play with his grandchildren, hunt, fish, and farm; 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 Officer Billy Joe Homan, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by _____
 Representative Larry Crawford
 District No. 117

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 362, adopted February 13, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker