

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives welcome every opportunity to recognize pivotal events and observances in the lives of this state's many fine senior citizens; and

Whereas, this legislative body is continually impressed with the incredible longevity experienced by such Show-Me State residents as Lola Wolfe of Maryville, Missouri; and

Whereas, Lola Wolfe commemorated the resplendent occasion of her One Hundred Third Birthday on January 26, 2003, at Nodaway Nursing Home, where she resides; and

Whereas, Lola Wolfe made her formal debut in 1900 along with such notable people as jazz cornet and trumpet soloist Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong, actress Helen Hayes, and author of Gone with the Wind Margaret Mitchell; and

Whereas, an individual who has lived during an era of incredible progress, Lola Wolfe came into this world the same year that Hawaii was made a United States Territory, the United States won the first Davis Cup tennis contest, and The Wonderful Wizard of Oz was published; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Lola Wolfe had the opportunity to reminisce about such significant events in her life as growing up in Oklahoma, where she lived on a farm and worked in the fields, and walking more than 500 miles in the Walk-A-Mile since 1992; and

Whereas, at the respectful age of 103, Lola Wolfe is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and very special birthday greetings to Lola Wolfe at this truly significant milestone and in wishing her continued happiness and fulfillment in the years ahead; 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 Lola Wolfe, as a measure of our tremendous esteem for her.

Offered by _____
 Representative Brad Lager
 District No. 4

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. _____, adopted _____, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker