

House Resolution No. 2090

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have admirably devoted themselves to assisting those in society who are often the most in need; and

Whereas, Dr. Anthony A. Casey, Jr., has attained distinction during a highly productive, nearly twenty-four-year-long association with the Jefferson County Commission for the Handicapped; and

Whereas, currently that illustrious organization's Executive Director, Dr. Anthony Casey will draw his diverse duties and responsibilities to a close on June 30, 2003, in order to enjoy the special status reserved by society for retirees; and

Whereas, after entering the fields of mental health and special education, Anthony Casey continued to expand and deepen his understanding of his chosen endeavors by successfully pursuing a Doctor of Philosophy degree which was granted him on March 28, 1975; and

Whereas, down through the years Dr. Anthony Casey has been an active contributor to such exemplary professional organizations as the American Association of Mental Deficiency, Missouri Association for Children with Learning Disabilities, Missouri Association of County Developmental Disabilities Services, Jefferson County Association for Retarded Citizens, Council for Exceptional Children, Missouri State Teachers Association, Institutional Educational Association, and Gateway Regional Advisory Council; and

Whereas, Dr. Anthony Casey has also proven to be an invaluable member of Our Lady Church, the Knights of Columbus, and Kiwanis; and

Whereas, the beloved husband of Mary Ruth Casey, Dr. Anthony Casey is justifiably proud of his accomplishments as the father of Morgan Casey, Ana Casey, and Carmen Mueller and as the wonderful grandfather of Craig Mueller, Eric Mueller, Michelle Ortwerth, Morgan Casey, and Coty Martin:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join to celebrate the well-deserved retirement of Dr. Anthony Casey from the Jefferson County Commission for the Handicapped and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt commendation of his considerable accomplishments during forty years in mental health and special education; 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 in honor of Dr. Anthony A. Casey, Jr., of Herculaneum, Missouri.

Offered by _____
 Representative Mark C. Abel
 District No. 103

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. 2090, adopted April 22, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker