

## House Resolution No. 2452

**Whereas**, as the 2002-2003 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

**Whereas**, the Marshfield R-I School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 29, 2003, with the retirement of Edward Peregoy who has devoted three decades of his life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a science teacher; and

**Whereas**, Edward Peregoy, a resident of Lebanon, Missouri, has taught for twenty-nine years at Marshfield R-I, where he is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

**Whereas**, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Edward Peregoy has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

**Whereas**, Edward Peregoy has watched his pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge he has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

**Whereas**, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of Marshfield R-I fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding professional endeavors of Edward Peregoy; and

**Whereas**, Edward Peregoy has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family that includes his wife, Nancy, who has proudly supported his long and illustrious career:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join the Marshfield R-I School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Edward Peregoy has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly deserves; 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 Edward Peregoy, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative Michael L. Cunningham  
 District No. 145

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. 2452, adopted May 5, 2003.

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 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker