

House Resolution No.

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding group of young Missourians who have distinguished themselves as leaders of their peers; and

Whereas, the members of the Parkway North High School Viking Marching Band are to be commended for their stellar performance at the Page Extension Bridge Ceremony held December 13, 2003; and

Whereas, the Parkway North Marching Band is exceedingly proud of its very successful 2003-2004 season, during which the Vikings placed Fourth at the Farmington Invitational, Third at the Francis Howell Invitational, and Fifth at the prestigious Greater St. Louis Marching Band Festival held at the Edward Jones Dome; and

Whereas, in the history of Parkway North High School, the Viking Marching Band has consistently received many superior ratings at both the national and international levels; and

Whereas, a supporter of the International Maccabi Games and the opening of the Savvis Center, the Viking Marching Band has also enjoyed the honor of performing for such dignitaries as President George Herbert Walker Bush; and

Whereas, few students possess the musical skill and talent displayed by Viking Marching Band members Lisa Actis, Sara Adler, Josh Anderson, Max Baird, Luke Benten, Kasie Bohler, Amanda Brame, Ashleigh Brown, Amanda Buchner, Kyle Bumberry, Lucy Chang, Ryan Cockerham, Linda Cosner, Katie Dankovich, Caroline Diebold, Jeff Disner, Reed Eason, Liz Fornango, Nicole Freeman, Natalie Freiburger, Brian Goldman, Gina Goldman, Jon Goldstein, Rebecca Goldstein, Hyun Han, Ian Hanson, Daniel Hardin, Andy Heck, Sable Helvie, Marcus Hines, Chris Hite, Shannon Hctor, David Adams, II, Micah Johnston, Leah Katz, Bobby Larkin, James Lasadose, Rachel Lawrence, Jennifer Ledford, Samuel Litz, Sarah Mathews, Christine McGruther, Alexis McNaughton, Emily Moses, William Moses, Kyle Nueberger Jon O'Brien, Sean Page, Whitney Phipps, Michael Pirrin, Trey Raith, Lizzie Reuther, Jacob Roybal, David Ruvolo, Kristen Sedovic, Yeji Shim, Chrissy Smith, Jimi Sode, Jackie Sparks, Shubra Srinivas, Manabu Takahashi, Albert Tran, Alexandra Tran, Jen Tsau, Danny Vachalek, Robert Weir, Rachel Weismann, David Witzling, Kam-Kit Yiu, and Sean Zimmer:

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 to Director of Bands, Mark Linn, and to all the members of the Viking Marching Band 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 Parkway North High School in Chesterfield, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Albert Liese
District No. 79

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of

Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. _____, adopted _____, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker