

House Resolution No.

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding young Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her peers; and

Whereas, Rashena Parker of Poplar Bluff, Missouri, will be honored for her successful completion of the Educational Talent Search Program during a special ceremony to be held February 20, 2004, at Three Rivers Community College in Poplar Bluff; and

Whereas, Rashena Parker is a 2003 graduate of Bloomfield High School, where she participated in a variety of extracurricular activities, including the Beta Club, Student Council, Choir, and Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America; and

Whereas, an Educational Talent Search member since the ninth grade, Rashena Parker made the Honor Roll at Bloomfield High School and graduated among the top ten students in her class; and

Whereas, Rashena Parker is currently attending Three Rivers Community College, where she maintains an impressive 3.43 Grade Point Average while excelling in her nursing courses; and

Whereas, Rashena Parker has achieved all of this and more with the support and encouragement of her family, teachers, and friends, all of whom have continually instilled within her the desire to realize her full potential:

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 Rashena Parker at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; 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 Educational Talent Search Program participant, Rashena Parker.

Offered by _____
 Representative Rob Mayer
 District No. 159

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