

House Resolution No. 978

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the meritorious endeavors of outstanding Show-Me State employees, a task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

Whereas, Barbara J. Berry of Steelville, Missouri, retired from her position as Office Support Assistant with the Missouri Department of Social Services, Family Support and Children's Division, on March 1, 2004, after a thirty-eight-year career in state government; and

Whereas, Barbara Berry is an outstanding individual who faithfully performed her important duties and responsibilities with the utmost competence, efficiency, and professionalism; and

Whereas, Barbara Berry will be remembered for her helpful attitude, warm smile, and friendly manner in which she always greeted people in and around the community, a unique quality that will be greatly missed by her many co-workers; and

Whereas, Barbara Berry has also enjoyed recognition by coordinating food, clothing, and Christmas basket drives for needy families; and

Whereas, Barbara Berry undoubtedly looks back over the past several years and reminisces about her many worthwhile experiences and her special relationships with revered colleagues while basking in the glow of a successful career now at its end; and

Whereas, Barbara Berry has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Stanley, and her daughter, Jennifer, both of whom have brought great pride and happiness into her life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in expressing deep gratitude for the superb service that Barbara Berry has rendered to the Show-Me State during the past thirty-eight years and in wishing her ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; 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 Barbara J. Berry, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
 Representative Frank Barnitz
 District No. 150

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. 978, adopted March 9, 2004.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker