

## House Resolution No. 1400

**Whereas**, the Missouri House of Representatives holds in high esteem those Show-Me State colleges which provide an admirable educational foundation upon which students can construct their futures as skilled, knowledgeable members of society; and

**Whereas**, on April 1, 2004, Jefferson College Foundation will celebrate the Fortieth Anniversary of the establishment of Jefferson College in 1963 as a small community college; and

**Whereas**, during the past four decades, Jefferson College has evolved into an important part of the Jefferson County community thanks in large measure to its commitment to hire the best faculty and to establish the quality curriculum that still exists today, impressive standards which were visualized and voiced by its first president, Dr. Charles McClain; and

**Whereas**, in addition to offering students the opportunity to earn a two-year degree, Jefferson College has developed cooperative educational programs in the areas of nursing, education, and business management with the four-year-degree-granting University of Missouri-St. Louis and Missouri Baptist College; and

**Whereas**, Jefferson College was one of the first institutions of higher education in the region to have an Area Technical School which allows high school sophomore, junior, and senior students to study residential carpentry, automotive technology, building repair technology, and digital media technology:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to celebrate the visionary leadership, splendid history, and wide-ranging programs associated with Jefferson College and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's heartiest best wishes as the Fortieth Anniversary of the founding of the college is observed; 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 Jefferson College.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Belinda Harris, Dist. #110

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Representative Mark C. Abel, Dist. #103

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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. 1400, adopted April 1, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker