

House Resolution No. 1548

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 himself as a leader of his peers; and

Whereas, Michael Hundelt, a resident of Ferguson, Missouri, has had the honor and privilege of being selected to serve as Missouri D.A.R.E. Youth Advisor on the National Level; and

Whereas, 36 million school children around the world, including 26 million in the United States, will benefit from D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) this year; and

Whereas, D.A.R.E. gives children the skills they need to avoid involvement in drugs, gangs, and violence; and

Whereas, founded in 1983 in Los Angeles, California, D.A.R.E. has proven to be so successful that it is now implemented in over seventy-five percent of this nation's school districts and in fifty-two countries around the world; and

Whereas, Michael Hundelt who won the D.A.R.E. Essay Contest as a fifth grader, is now a junior at McClure High School, where he is admired and respected for the determination he displays in his quest to attain every one of his objectives and goals; and

Whereas, Michael Hundelt has been blessed with the love and support of his wonderful parents, Rick and Lisa Hundelt, both of whom have continually instilled within him the desire to realize his full potential:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Michael Hundelt, a remarkable young man who continues to serve as a shining example and role model for those who know and love him; 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 Michael Hundelt, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by _____
 Representative Matt Muckler
 District No. 70

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. 1548, adopted April 7, 2004.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker