

## House Resolution No. 2412

**Whereas**, as the 2003-2004 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

**Whereas**, the North Kansas City School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 28, 2004, with the retirement of Marilyn Kulmus who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a teacher; and

**Whereas**, Marilyn Kulmus is a speech and drama teacher at Antioch Middle School, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

**Whereas**, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Marilyn Kulmus has touched the lives of numerous youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

**Whereas**, Marilyn Kulmus has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

**Whereas**, a recipient of the Life Service Award from Southwest Baptist University, Marilyn Kulmus earned a Bachelor's degree at Southwest Baptist University and a Master's degree with an additional forty-eight hours at the University of Missouri-Kansas City; and

**Whereas**, Marilyn Kulmus has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her late husband, Stephen Kulmus, and two children, Shannon Edward Kulmus and Catherine Elizabeth Kulmus:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join the North Kansas City School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Marilyn Kulmus has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; 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 Marilyn Kulmus, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Philip Willoughby  
District No. 33

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. 2412, adopted May 3, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker