

House Resolution No. 3215

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Melvin Dale Midkiff of Saint Louis County, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a bus operator for the Saint Louis County Metro system; and

Whereas, Melvin Midkiff will bring his twenty-nine year long career as a professional bus operator to a close on June 30, 2004, in retirement; and

Whereas, in addition to an impressive work ethic, Melvin Midkiff developed and maintained an exceptional reputation as the recipient of numerous Safety awards and an Operator Commendation of Excellence; and

Whereas, Melvin Midkiff also served the Saint Louis metropolitan area as a supporter of Project Lemay; and

Whereas, the beloved husband of Gloria Midkiff, Melvin Midkiff is the loving father of Vicki Midkiff, Donald Midkiff, Cecil Midkiff, and Craig Midkiff, and a wonderful stepfather to Dale Dean and Jeannie Dean; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily endeavors in order to acknowledge the accomplishments of such stellar citizens as Melvin Midkiff:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive career of Melvin Midkiff as a bus operator for the Saint Louis County Metro and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and our best wishes as he partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; 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 Melvin Dale Midkiff of Saint Louis County, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Patricia M. Yaeger
District No. 96

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. 3215, adopted May 25, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker