

House Resolution No. 3130

Whereas, it is with tremendous pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have admirably dedicated their time and energy to ensuring that students are provided with learning environments which are rewarding, challenging, and productive in preparation for roles as lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Elmer “Anthony” Gschwender of Louisiana, Missouri, has distinguished himself as a teacher and administrator in the Louisiana R-II School District, a vocational calling which he will draw to a close on May 21, 2004, in retirement after thirty-two years of service; and

Whereas, currently fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Athletic Director and Head Track Coach, Anthony Gschwender previously served as the Head Football Coach whose 1986 team earned the State Championship trophy; and

Whereas, Anthony Gschwender also assists some of his young charges by functioning as the In-School Suspension teacher; and

Whereas, a football player during his collegiate days at the University of Missouri-Columbia, Anthony Gschwender is proving to be just as invaluable to the work of the Knights of Columbus, of which he is a member in good standing; and

Whereas, Anthony Gschwender has attained many honors and accolades in life, none of which equal his respected reputation as a family man who is justifiably proud to be known as the beloved husband of Denise and loving father of a daughter, Beth, and three sons, Stephen, Scott, and Jeff:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the significant career achievements garnered down through the years by Elmer Gschwender and to convey to him this legislative body’s heartiest congratulations and 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 in honor of Elmer “Anthony” Gschwender of Louisiana, Missouri.

Offered by _____
 Representative Terry L. Witte
 District No. 10

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. 3130, adopted May 18, 2004.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker