

## House Resolution No. 4824

**Whereas**, George Weber, III, has attained considerable distinction as the President and Chief Executive Officer of Weber Chevrolet Company in Creve Coeur, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, on Thursday, December 18, 2003, George Weber will receive well-deserved honors and accolades as the Outstanding Businessperson of the Year by the Creve Coeur-Olivette Chamber of Commerce at its Annual Awards and Installation Luncheon which will be held at the Sheraton Lakeside Chalet on Westport Plaza; and

**Whereas**, a lifelong resident of St. Louis, George Weber attended John Burroughs High School in St. Louis and then graduated from Duke University with a degree in engineering before entering the family business full-time in 1963 as one of the first lease managers in the St. Louis metropolitan area; and

**Whereas**, George Weber had worked at Weber Chevrolet Company during school vacations when his father's automobile dealership was located on Lindell Boulevard, and he played a very instrumental role in moving the highly successful firm to a prime 12-acre site on Olive Boulevard at Interstate 270 in 1969; and

**Whereas**, named Vice President and General Manager in 1978, George Weber continued to demonstrate his entrepreneurial spirit as he positioned Weber Chevrolet Company to be the largest seller of Chevrolet cars and trucks in the state of Missouri and one of the largest in the nation; and

**Whereas**, a Mark of Excellence Dealer, George Weber expanded his business by adding the George Weber Chevrolet Company in Columbia, Illinois, in 1989 and Weber Granite City Chevrolet on Illinois Route 3 in 1993; celebrated in 2002 the Centennial Anniversary of the company's founding; and expanded automobile sales advertising from print media to television and radio venues, all the while earning numerous awards from General Motors in the ever-important areas of customer satisfaction, sales, and service:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the stellar business accomplishments garnered by George Weber of Weber Chevrolet Company and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon attaining Outstanding Businessperson of the Year and best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; 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 George Weber, III.

Offered by Speaker Catherine L. Hanaway  
District No. 87

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4824, adopted December 15, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker