

## House Resolution No. 4951

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives of Show-Me State residents who have dedicated themselves to the betterment of local communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, Ron Loesch of Mexico, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as the recipient of the 2003 Colonel C.R. Stribling, Jr., Community Service Award, an honor which will be formally presented to him by the Mexico Area Chamber of Commerce on January 24, 2004; and

**Whereas**, Ron Loesch became an invaluable member of the Mexico community in 1994 when he accepted the duties and responsibilities of Manager for the Little Dixie and Green Hills District of AmerenUE, a region in which one hundred fifty-five company employees see to the energy needs of customers in the cities of Mexico, Moberly, Boonville, Columbia, Kirksville, and Excelsior Springs; and

**Whereas**, in addition to his professional activities with AmerenUE, Ron Loesch has been integrally connected with the Mexico Chamber of Commerce, for which he has served as a member of the Board of Directors; as Treasurer, President-elect, President, and Past-president; as Divisional Vice President for Economic Development; as Chairman of Progress Mexico; and as a member of the Market Mexico Committee and the Board of Directors of Chamber Restoration and Community Service Fund, Incorporated; and

**Whereas**, Ron Loesch has also contributed an exceptional amount of time and energy to the Land Clearance Redevelopment Authority, which he serves as Chairman; City Planning and Zoning Commission; Industrial Development Authority; focus groups for the Mexico Long-Range Development Plan; United Way of Mexico; Tiger Town Committee and the related Barbecue Committee; Gus Macker 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament and its fund-raising committee; Mexico Rotary Club; and Saint John Lutheran Church:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Ron Loesch for the 2003 Colonel C.R. Stribling, Jr., Community Service Award and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon receiving this impressive honor and our 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 for Ron Loesch, as an expression of our esteem for him and his civic contributions.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative Steve Hobbs  
 District No. 21

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. 4951, adopted January 7, 2004.

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 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker