

## House Resolution No. 310

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Letha Hickinbotham, an esteemed resident of St. Clair, Missouri, who will officially retire from Hickinbotham Real Estate, Inc. on February 8, 2005, after a successful career in real estate that has spanned an incredible twenty-eight years; and

**Whereas**, during her impressive tenure at Hickinbotham Real Estate, Inc., Letha Hickinbotham has completed the many duties and tasks placed before her as a Real Estate Consultant, Residential/Commercial Landlord, Owner, and Broker; and

**Whereas**, Letha Hickinbotham is exceedingly proud of the leadership positions she has held with various professional organizations including the Franklin County Women's Council of Realtors, Business and Professional Women's Club, Franklin County Board of Realtors, Missouri Women's Council of Realtors, and the Missouri Association of Realtors, just to name a few; and

**Whereas**, listed in Who's Who in Leading American Executives, Letha Hickinbotham established Budget Lodging Motel in 1989 and developed property to accommodate Subway Restaurant in 1992; and

**Whereas**, Letha Hickinbotham's community affiliations include the St. Clair Chamber of Commerce, St. Clair Rotary Club, East Central College Foundation, the Sullivan Missouri Baptist Hospital Advisory Board, and the Farmers and Merchants Bank Advisory Board; and

**Whereas**, a devout member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Letha Hickinbotham has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her three children, Marjean Alexander, Twila Noe, and Scott Hickinbotham:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Letha Hickinbotham for her twenty-eight years of unparalleled service to Hickinbotham Real Estate, Inc. and to the real estate industry, and in wishing her the long, enjoyable retirement she so richly 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 Letha Hickinbotham.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brian Nieves  
District No. 98

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 310, adopted January 31, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker