

House Resolution No. 739

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 proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Linda Schelin of Monett has attained considerable distinction as a teacher, volunteer, wife, and mother; and

Whereas, Linda Schelin recently enhanced her already impressive record of achievement when she was selected to receive a Monett Chamber of Commerce Community Service Award; and

Whereas, a substitute teacher and reading programs volunteer at Monett Elementary School, Linda Schelin also serves as president of the local board for Habitat for Humanity, which has a home nearing completion, and is one of the driving forces behind the establishment, operation, and privatization of the Smart Start Day Care; and

Whereas, Linda Schelin prepared for her diverse endeavors in life by graduating from LaHabra High School in LaHabra, California, and from Pittsburg State Teachers College in Pittsburg, Kansas, with additional studies at Coffeyville Community College in Kansas and Fullerton Junior College in California; and

Whereas, a resident of Monett since June 1979, Linda Schelin started her own preschool known as Kids Corner Learning Center in 1983, served on the Monett School Board for two terms, and became a Licensed Lay Eucharistic Minister for the Diocese of West Missouri; and

Whereas, Linda Schelin is a member of the Order of Saint Luke, an Episcopal healing ministry, and of Saint Stephen's Episcopal Church, where she serves as director of the Altar Guild; and

Whereas, Linda Schelin is the beloved wife of Harold and the loving mother of James and Rebecca:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Linda Schelin for a Monett Chamber of Commerce Community Service Award and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt 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 Linda Schelin of Monett, Missouri.

Offered by _____

Representative Jack Goodman
District No. 132

Representative David Sater
District No. 68

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. 739, adopted February 23, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker