

House Resolution No.

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize the meritorious endeavors of an outstanding Missouri citizen; and

Whereas, Elise "Leesee" Myer, an esteemed resident of St. Louis, Missouri, is to be commended for her contributions to the Missouri Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice; and

Whereas, Leesee Myer has played an integral role in the success of the Missouri Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice for many years, during which time she has worked with four executive directors and has generously provided much-needed office assistance, encouragement, and unmatched financial support; and

Whereas, Leesee Myer grew up in the Central West End and served as a nurses aid at Barnes Hospital following World War II; and

Whereas, in 1957, Leesee embarked upon a new and exciting chapter in her life when she married her beloved Jesse Myer, becoming the mother of his two children, Blanche and Jesse; and

Whereas, Leesee Myer and her family moved to Rosetta, Minnesota, where she taught English and social studies; and

Whereas, in 1987, Leesee Myer returned to St. Louis where she began her volunteer work with Channel 9 and the Missouri Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Leesee Myer at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; 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 Elise "Leesee" Myer.

Offered by _____

Representative Barbara Wall Fraser
District No. 83

Representative Margaret Donnelly
District No. 73

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. ____, adopted _____, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker