

## House Resolution No. 2024

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State businesses and organizations which have proven down through the years to be exemplary components of local communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, Outback Steakhouse has attained considerable distinction during the past three years as a sponsor of the Annual Benefit Dinner Auction held by the Humane Society of Southeast Missouri, which was established in 1978; and

**Whereas**, on April 16, 2005, Outback Steakhouse will be presented with a Friend of the Animals Award from the Humane Society of Southeast Missouri in light of its donation of the dinner portion of the Annual Benefit Dinner Auction; and

**Whereas**, because of the generosity of Outback Steakhouse, the Humane Society of Southeast Missouri can utilize more of its proceeds from the Annual Benefit Dinner Auction fund-raiser to directly benefit the more than five thousand animals cared for each year:

**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 Outback Steakhouse for a Friend of the Animals Award from the Humane Society of Southeast Missouri and to convey to all of those involved 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 Outback Steakhouse.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Nathan D. Cooper  
District No. 158

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. 2024, adopted April 11, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker