

House Resolution No. 2881

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those collegiate programs which are dedicated to proving the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary for students to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg has attained considerable distinction in part because of the excellence of the institution's Department of Nursing; and

Whereas, the students, faculty, and staff of the CMSU Department of Nursing will enhance their already stellar record of achievement when they celebrate National Nurses Week from Friday, May 6, to Thursday, May 12, 2005; and

Whereas, established by the American Nurses Association, National Nurses Week is a time which is set aside to honor the nearly 2.7 million Registered Nurses in the United States who provide cost-effective, safe, and quality primary and preventative health care; and

Whereas, the Department of Nursing at Central Missouri State University grants qualified students Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Master of Science in Nursing degrees; and

Whereas, students in the CMSU Department of Nursing demonstrate their true potential as young professionals through such impressive activities with the Student Nurses Organization as Relay for Life, Arthritis Walk, Go Red for Women--Heart Health Awareness, Health Promotion Fairs, Smoking Cessation Seminar, and volunteering at Blind Boone Park:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the significant record of accomplishments garnered by the students, faculty, and staff associated with Central Missouri State University's Department of Nursing and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as they observe National Nurses Week from May 6 to May 12, 2005; 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 presentation to the Department of Nursing at Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative David Pearce
District No. 121

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. 2881, adopted May 4, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker