

## House Resolution No. 3018

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself as a leader of his community; and

**Whereas**, Byron E. Bird, an esteemed resident of Maryville, Missouri, is to be commended for his fifty years of masonic service and membership at Nodaway Lodge #470 in Maryville; and

**Whereas**, Byron Bird was recently recognized during a special awards ceremony attended by District Deputy Grand Master Fred Foster, who presented the prestigious award; and

**Whereas**, Byron Bird has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of his devoted wife, Beverly, who also attended the awards ceremony:

**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 Byron Bird at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his 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 Byron E. Bird.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brad Lager  
District No. 4

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. 3018, adopted May 9, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker