

## House Resolution No. 2991

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have dedicated their time and energy to helping today's students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

**Whereas**, Patricia Reed of Chillicothe, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a special education teacher in the Hamilton R-II School District which provides educational opportunities for more than seven hundred students through the expertise of approximately eighty certificated staff in three institutions; and

**Whereas**, on May 25, 2005, Patricia Reed will bring her classroom leadership in the Hamilton R-II School District to a close in well-deserved retirement after eighteen years of service; and

**Whereas**, recipient of Outstanding Jaycee Wife for the State of Missouri recognition, Patricia Reed also is president of the Missouri Association for Children Learning Disabilities, president of Alpha Delta Kappa, and president of LASE; and

**Whereas**, Patricia Reed brought to her professional labors with the Hamilton R-II School District a wealth of expertise which she garnered from earlier employment as a teacher for two years in the Breckenridge R-I School District and for ten years in the Chillicothe R-II School District; and

**Whereas**, Patricia Reed deserves mention of her membership at United Methodist Church and her volunteer activities with Birthright; and

**Whereas**, Patricia Reed is the beloved wife of E.L. and the loving mother of a wonderful son, Travis:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive career of Patricia Reed as an educator and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; 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 Patricia Reed of Chillicothe, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative John Quinn  
 District No. 7

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. 2991, adopted May 9, 2005.

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 Rod Jetton, Speaker