

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, as the 2004-2005 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

**Whereas**, the Spokane R-VII School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 16, 2005, with the retirement of Jim Gallaher who has devoted several years of his life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

**Whereas**, Jim Gallaher has served as an industrial technology teacher for twenty-five years at Spokane R-VII, where he is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

**Whereas**, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Jim Gallaher has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

**Whereas**, Jim Gallaher has watched his pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge he has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

**Whereas**, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of Spokane R-VII fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding professional endeavors of Jim Gallaher; and

**Whereas**, Jim Gallaher leaves his duties and responsibilities at Spokane R-VII with tremendous satisfaction that he has always given more than one hundred percent to assure each student the best education possible:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join the Spokane R-VII School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Jim Gallaher has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly deserves; 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 Jim Gallaher, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Raymond Weter  
District No. 142

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.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker