

House Resolution No. 3976

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Calvin B. "Cal" Jones, an esteemed resident of Elkton, Missouri, who will officially retire from the Missouri Department of Conservation on August 1, 2005, after thirty years of exceptional service and dedication; and

Whereas, during his impressive tenure of service as a Conservation Agent in Hickory County, Cal Jones played an integral role in the areas of law enforcement, criminal investigations, community relations, media, education programs, resource management on public lands, resource assistance to private landowners, and emergency public service; and

Whereas, Cal Jones was also active in marijuana detection and surveillance, forest fire investigations, the investigation and surveillance of suspected poachers, and assignments with federal, state, and local drug enforcement task forces; and

Whereas, honored as the Outstanding Conservation Agent of the Region, Cal Jones served in the positions of Field Training Agent, Representative for the Conservation Agent Field Advisory Board, Liaison for various law enforcement agencies, and Instructor and Course Coordinator for Outdoor Search and Rescue; and

Whereas, a POST Certified Specialist Instructor who taught area fire departments field and forest arson investigation, Cal Jones is the Co-Founder of the Hickory County Law Enforcement Officer's Association; and

Whereas, the beloved husband of Debbie, Cal Jones will be recognized for his contributions to the Missouri Department of Conservation during a special retirement celebration to be held July 31, 2005, at the Elkton Baptist Church:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Cal Jones for his thirty years of unparalleled service to the Missouri Department of Conservation, and in wishing him the long, enjoyable retirement he so richly 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 Calvin B. "Cal" Jones.

Offered by _____
Representative Larry D. Wilson
District No. 119

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. 3976, adopted July 12, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker