

House Resolution No. 4016

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State educators who admirably assist their young charges in obtaining the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Tom McSweeney attained considerable distinction as a guidance counselor at Northeast Nodaway Elementary School, a vocational calling which he drew to a close in May 2005, after thirty-one years of service; and

Whereas, a former teacher at Mount Ayr, Iowa, and Humboldt, Iowa, Tom McSweeney originally was hired by the Northeast Nodaway School District as a history teacher; and

Whereas, down through the years Tom McSweeney also has served as a golf coach; and

Whereas, Tom McSweeney is known for his willingness to help others and his love of travel, especially on his Harley Davidson motorcycle; and

Whereas, Tom McSweeney is the beloved husband of Paula and the loving father of Brenna; and

Whereas, retirement promises to give Tom McSweeney more time to pursue the sports of hunting and fishing:

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, stellar career enjoyed by Tom McSweeney as an educator and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as he 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 Tom McSweeney of Maryville, Missouri.

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. 4016, adopted July 18, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker