

House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have devoted an exceptional amount of time and energy to the field of agriculture through their efforts as farmers; and

**Whereas**, Tom Miller has attained considerable distinction as a farmer who began his chosen career in 1964; and

**Whereas**, Tom Miller will be a guest of honor at the Shelbina Farmers Day celebration which is sponsored by the Shelbina Chamber of Commerce; and

**Whereas**, according to Tom Miller, the best part of farming is being free to work at one's own pace and watching crops and livestock as they grow and mature; and

**Whereas**, Tom Miller has been an active member of the Shelbina community through his work with the ASC County Committee, Old Threshers, American Legion, Farm Bureau, and Knights of Columbus; and

**Whereas**, Tom Miller is the recipient of a Chamber of Commerce Rural Citizen Award and a Missouri State Farm Management Recognition Award; and

**Whereas**, Tom Miller suggests that a person without financial backing who wants to enter agriculture as a career should also have a source of off-farm income; and

**Whereas**, Tom Miller is the beloved husband of Dolores and the loving father of Phillip Miller, Kent Miller, Melanie Morris, and Kim Broughton, all of whom have wholeheartedly supported and encouraged his diverse endeavors as a farmer down through the years:

**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, ongoing farming career of Tom Miller and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon receiving well-deserved accolades on Shelbina Farmers Day and our sincerest best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; 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 Miller.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Kathy L. Chinn  
District No. 8

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