

## House Resolution No. 4601

**Whereas**, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the meritorious endeavors of outstanding Show-Me State employees, a task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

**Whereas**, Jerry B. Uhlmann of Jefferson City, Missouri, will retire from his position as Director with the Missouri Department of Public Safety, Office of the Adjutant General, Emergency Management Agency, on December 31, 2004, after eleven years and nine months of steadfast and admirable service; and

**Whereas**, during his tenure, Jerry Uhlmann has managed the disaster response for some of Missouri's most devastating disasters, including the 1993/1994 floods, the 2002 ice storm, and the 2003 statewide tornadoes that destroyed Stockton and Pierce City; and

**Whereas**, Jerry Uhlmann has further distinguished himself through his involvement with such outstanding mitigation programs as the Flood Buyout Program, the NOAA (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration) Weather Transmitter, and the Enhanced Mitigation Plan, in addition to his management of more than \$140 million in Homeland Security funds for Missouri; and

**Whereas**, prior to assuming his responsibilities with the State Emergency Management Agency, Jerry Uhlmann served thirty-two years in the Missouri National Guard, where he was a Colonel for Military Support to Civil Authorities; and

**Whereas**, a recipient of the Otto Nuttli Earthquake Hazard Mitigation Award and the Communicator of the Year Award, Jerry Uhlmann has also enjoyed recognition as a member of the Missouri Emergency Response Commission and the Seismic Safety Commission, and as Mitigation Chairman for the National Emergency Managers Association and Chairman of the Central United States Earthquake Consortium:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in expressing deep gratitude for the superb service that Jerry Uhlmann has rendered to the Show-Me State during the past twelve years and in wishing him ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; 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 Jerry B. Uhlmann, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Bill Deeken  
District No. 114

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4601, adopted December 7, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker