

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to honor those individuals who have dedicated many years of service to the children of the Show-Me State through diligent labor in our public school systems; and

Whereas, Sherman Smith is retiring from the Springfield R-XII School District on April 20, 2007, following a most successful career that has spanned many years; and

Whereas, Sherman Smith will always be remembered for the detailed, conscientious, and proficient manner in which he has fulfilled all of his important duties and responsibilities as a Custodian at Phelps Center for the Gifted; and

Whereas, Phelps Center for the Gifted has long been the subject of many compliments, observations, and commendations for its cleanliness and orderliness thanks to Sherman Smith, a man who truly cares about his job, co-workers, and students; and

Whereas, Sherman Smith, who came to work early and left late, will be able to leave Phelps Center for the Gifted with the tremendous satisfaction of knowing he has always given more than one hundred percent to assure quality service; and

Whereas, Sherman Smith is a remarkable individual who will undoubtedly look back over the past several years and reminisce about his many worthwhile experiences and his special relationships with students, teachers, and staff while basking in the glow of a successful career now at its end:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, unanimously join the Springfield R-XII School District in expressing our most sincere appreciation for Sherman Smith's years of unparalleled service and in wishing him the long, enjoyable, and fruitful 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 Sherman Smith.

Offered by _____
 Representative Sara Lampe
 District No. 138

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. ____, adopted _____, 2007.

 Rod Jetton, Speaker