

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

**Whereas**, the members now pause to recognize Gail Yapple, who is retiring from her position as a science teacher at Harrisonville Middle School, in Harrisonville, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, Gail Yapple has taught seventh- and eight-grade science students in the Harrisonville Cass R-IX School District for twenty-two years; and

**Whereas**, Gail Yapple has a total of twenty-five years' experience in education, which includes time spent as a preschool teacher in Kansas and teaching at a private school in Lee's Summit; and

**Whereas**, Gail Yapple, who taught single gender science classes for several years, has found particular satisfaction in being able to provide different learning experiences for each unique group of students and finding the best method of reaching them effectively; and

**Whereas**, Gail Yapple recalls with particular pleasure her transition from junior high school to the middle school; and

**Whereas**, Gail Yapple plans to spend her time traveling and doing volunteer work, as well as spend more time with her family; and

**Whereas**, Gail Yapple has four children, Jill and her husband, Sean; Paul and his wife, Robin; Brian; and Matt; and six grandchildren, Hope Wooten, Hannah Wooten, Brittany Yapple, A.J. Patterson, Lauren Yapple, and Allison Yapple:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our heartfelt congratulations to Gail Yapple on the auspicious occasion of her retirement after years of faithful service to the teaching profession and our gratitude for the service she has rendered to her community and her state; 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 Gail Yapple.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Luke Scavuzzo  
District No. 124

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.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker