

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of Show-Me State businesses that admirably deepen and broaden the economic foundations of local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, KFMO-AM radio of Park Hills, Missouri, has been owned and operated since 1992 by M.K.S.Broadcasting, Incorporated, whose President is M.L. Steinmetz and whose Vice President/General Manager is Larry D. Joseph; and

Whereas, during July 2007 KFMO-AM will celebrate Sixty Years of operation as a source for news, weather, sports, the latest in community events, and music delivered to Park Hills and its environs by a skilled, entertaining, and dedicated staff of on-air announcers and support persons; and

Whereas, the sister station of KDBB-FM, KFMO-AM has developed and maintained special relationships with the Southeast Missouri Family Violence Council and the March of Dimes; and

Whereas, KFMO-AM is a member of the Missouri Broadcasters Association, which has given it twenty-six broadcasting excellence awards in the past decade of operation; the Radio Advertising Bureau; and all of the local Chambers of Commerce; and

Whereas, KFMO-AM signed on the air for the first time on July 4, 1947, under the ownership of Hirsch Broadcasting Company; and

Whereas, over the course of the next sixty years, KFMO-AM became known for the highest levels of professionalism and uncompromising integrity; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri radio stations as KFMO-AM at momentous times in their histories:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the history, goals, and accomplishments associated with KFMO-AM radio and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as they celebrate the Sixtieth Anniversary of the establishment of their broadcast venue; 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 presentation to KFMO-AM radio of Park Hills, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Brad Robinson
District No. 107

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