

House Resolution No. 3287

Whereas, as the 2007-2008 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Bowling Green R-I School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on July 1, 2008, with the retirement of Larry Wilfong, who has devoted several years of his life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Larry Wilfong has taught elementary art for eleven years at Bowling Green R-I, where he is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Larry Wilfong has also taught and served in various positions with the Louisiana R-II, Southern Reynolds County R-II, and Clearwater R-I school districts; and

Whereas, Larry Wilfong has watched his pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge he has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of Bowling Green R-I fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding professional endeavors of Larry Wilfong; and

Whereas, Larry Wilfong has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife, Nancy Wilfong; and two children, Amanda Wilfong Harrison and Michael Wilfong;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Bowling Green R-I School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Larry Wilfong has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly 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 Larry Wilfong, as a measure of the high esteem in which we hold him.

Offered by _____
Representative Terry L. Witte
District No. 10

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3287, adopted May 27, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker