

## House Resolution No.

**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 in May 2008, with the retirement of Mary Nell Brueggen who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

**Whereas**, Mary Brueggen has taught Title I Communication Arts for thirty-two years at Bowling Green R-I, where she 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, Mary Brueggen has also enjoyed recognition by serving as President of the Community Teachers Association and by teaching in the Wellsville-Middletown R-I School District; and

**Whereas**, Mary Brueggen has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she 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 Mary Brueggen; and

**Whereas**, Mary Brueggen has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Leo Brueggen; her children and their spouses; and her grandchildren:

**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 Mary Brueggen has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she 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 Mary Nell Brueggen, as a measure of our esteem for her.

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. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker