

House Resolution No. 2376

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 Scott City R-I School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 21, 2008, with the retirement of Lana Arnzen 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, Lana Arnzen has taught sixth grade for eleven years at Scott City 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, Lana Arnzen taught at St. Augustine School and in the Oran R-III School District prior to assuming her responsibilities with Scott City R-I; and

Whereas, Lana Arnzen 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, Lana Arnzen, who earned a Bachelor's degree and a Master's degree at Southeast Missouri State University, has supported her profession as a member of the Missouri State Teachers Association and the American Federation of Teachers; and

Whereas, Lana Arnzen has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her late husband, Ervin Arnzen, Jr.; three children, Lori Arnzen, Jessica Arnzen, who is an angel in heaven, and Craig Arnzen; and her parents, Melvin (deceased) and Ann Glueck:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Scott City R-I School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Lana Arnzen 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 Lana Arnzen, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Steve Hodges
District No. 161

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. 2376, adopted April 29, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker