

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 Lincoln R-II School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty with the retirement of Jeana Cox 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, Jeana Cox has taught elementary music and junior high math for thirty-three years at Lincoln R-II, 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, Jeana Cox has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, Jeana Cox 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, a recipient of the Teacher of the Year award, Jeana Cox has supported her profession as a member of the Missouri State Teachers Association; and

Whereas, Jeana Cox has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, John Cox; one son, Mitchell Cox; and her parents, Bob and Jean Dicken:

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

Offered by _____
Representative Tom Self
District No. 116

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.

Rod Jetton, Speaker