

House Resolution No. 2221

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives proudly pause to recognize those special young people who have exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in state government; and

Whereas, Craig Flanders of Chesterfield, Missouri, has distinguished himself as a Legislative Practicum Law Intern for the Honorable Rachel Storch, State Representative from District No. 64; and

Whereas, Craig Flanders joined the staff of Representative Storch for the Second Regular Session of the Ninety-fourth General Assembly as part of a program designed to involve college students in the legislative process in the state capitol in Jefferson City through active participation; and

Whereas, Craig Flanders has experienced the opportunity to observe firsthand the inner workings of state government and has gained valuable insight into the process by which laws are made; and

Whereas, Craig Flanders has successfully demonstrated his abilities in the performance of such duties as conducting research, serving as legislative aide and session attendant, helping with constituent services, and assuming various other responsibilities to make the office of Representative Storch run as smoothly as possible; and

Whereas, Craig Flanders has earned recognition as a valuable asset to Representative Storch and the entire Missouri Legislature through the application of knowledge and skills acquired prior to his tenure as an Intern and a variety of visible new skills which will be of tremendous value in the job market; and

Whereas, the son of Hillary and Marc Flanders, Craig Flanders is a law student at the University of Missouri-Columbia where he is universally praised for his work with the Student Bar Association, University of Missouri Law Review, and All-School ABA Negotiation Competition; his appearance on the Dean's Honors List; and his completion of an undergraduate degree with cum laude honors from the University of Texas at Austin:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, hereby proudly join the Honorable Rachel Storch in commending Craig Flanders for his many important contributions to our State Legislature during the current session, and further extend to him our very best wishes for continued success and happiness in all future endeavors; 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 Craig Flanders, as a measure of our deep gratitude.

Offered by _____
Representative Rachel Storch
District No. 64

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. 2221, adopted April 24, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker