

House Resolution No. 2492

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 Concordia R-II School District is losing a valuable member of its administration on May 21, 2008, with the retirement of High School Principal Michael Trautman who has devoted many years of his life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Michael Trautman has worked for twenty-two years at Concordia R-II, 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, Michael Trautman has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, Michael Trautman has watched his pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge he has imparted to them both as an administrator and as a friend; and

Whereas, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of Concordia R-II fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding professional endeavors of Michael Trautman; and

Whereas, Michael Trautman has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife, Kathy Trautman; three children, Shaynie Roach, Shawn Trautman, and Thomas Trautman; and nine grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Concordia R-II School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Michael Trautman has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly deserves, with ample opportunity to teach part-time during the first semester at Concordia R-II; 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 Michael Trautman, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by _____
Representative Joe Aull
District No. 26

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. 2492, adopted May 1, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker