

House Resolution No. 2707

**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**, Rachel Wickstrum of St. Louis, Missouri, has distinguished herself as an Intern for the Honorable Bryan P. Stevenson, State Representative from District No. 128; and

**Whereas**, Rachel Wickstrum joined the staff of Representative Stevenson for the Second Regular Session of the Ninety-fourth General Assembly as part of the University of Missouri St. Louis State Intern Program at the state capitol in Jefferson City, a program designed to involve college students in the legislative process through active participation; and

**Whereas**, Rachel Wickstrum 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**, Rachel Wickstrum has successfully demonstrated her 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 Stevenson run as smoothly as possible; and

**Whereas**, Rachel Wickstrum has earned recognition as a valuable asset to Representative Stevenson 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:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, hereby proudly join the Honorable Bryan P. Stevenson in commending Rachel Wickstrum for her many important contributions to our State Legislature during the current session, and further extend to her 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 Rachel Wickstrum, as a measure of our deep gratitude.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Bryan P. Stevenson  
District No. 128

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. 2707, adopted May 6, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker