

House Resolution No. 2999

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State educators whose significant contributions of time and energy help ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to improve their lives and prepare them for the future; and

Whereas, Jane E. Fountain of Atlanta, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a teacher of the severely developmentally delayed student in the Macon County R-I School District, a vocational calling that she will draw to a close on May 22, 2008, in well-deserved retirement after fifteen years in the field of education; and

Whereas, a teacher in Macon schools for four years, Jane Fountain previously taught in Moberly schools for eight years and in the Atlanta C-3 School District for three years; and

Whereas, Jane Fountain is a member of the Missouri State Teachers Association, Community Teachers Association, and Council of Exceptional Children and is a choir member, Sunday School substitute teacher, AWANA leader, and Vacation Bible School helper at First Baptist Church; and

Whereas, Jane Fountain is a volunteer for numerous good causes, including missions trips, the Deer Hunters Breakfast, and the Sportsman's Banquet; and

Whereas, the beloved wife of Danny W. Fountain, Jane Fountain is justifiably proud also to be known as the loving mother of Scott Hoskin, Ronald Hoskin, Ray Hoskin, Joshua Monda, and Hallah Hoskin; mother-in-law of David Nilsen, Patsy Hoskin, and Tzigane Monda; grandmother of Nathan, Rachelle, Sarai, Tyler, Tristen, Micah, Linda, Wendy, Mary, and Tammy; and great-grandmother of Robert, Angela, Michael, and Sadie; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its constitutionally mandated legislative actions in order to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of such outstanding Missouri educators as Jane Fountain:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in the life and work of Jane Fountain and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; 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 presentation to Jane E. Fountain of Atlanta, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Tom Shively
District No. 8

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. 2999, adopted May 13, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker