

House Resolution No. 3263

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

Whereas, the Golden Living Center, in New Madrid, Missouri, is the proud recipient of the “14 Karat Award”, an award of excellence for accomplishments and dedication to long-term care, which will be formally bestowed on June 13, 2008; and

Whereas, the award is given to the top five percent of facilities across each Division of Nursing Home Facilities across the nation; and

Whereas, established in 1982, the Golden Living Center employs over seven-five associates, with a combined length of service totaling over 450 years, and has served over 2,200 residence since its inception; and

Whereas, a short- and long-term care provider, the Golden Living Center offers skilled nursing services, rehabilitations services, and Alzheimer’s care, which is its specialty; and

Whereas, the teams of the Golden Living Center demonstrated their dedication to excellence, not only to residents and patients and their families but also to the community as a whole; and

Whereas, Golden Living Center regards earning this award as a gesture of appreciation for their team building abilities, hard work, and untiring efforts; and

Whereas, Golden Living Center considers it a privilege to be a trusted part of the New Madrid community, and they are grateful for the support they receive from the families, friends, and volunteers; and

Whereas, special recognition is owed to Kim Kellams Ivie, the facility’s Executive Director, for making the Golden Living Center a 14 Karat Award winner:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our congratulations to Golden Living Center on the auspicious occasion of their earning the 14 Karat Award; 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 Golden Living Center, of New Madrid.

Offered by _____
 Representative Terry Swinger
 District No. 162

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. 3263, adopted May 27, 2008.

 Rod Jetton, Speaker