

House Resolution No. 4522

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who admirably have answered the patriotic call to national service through their enlistment in any of the various branches that make up the United States armed forces; and

Whereas, Glenn T. Schneider has attained considerable distinction as a Lieutenant Colonel in the United States Marine Corps Reserve who will be the honored guest and speaker at the American Legion Veterans Day service in Sikeston, Missouri; and

Whereas, an Executive Sales Consultant in civilian life for Novartis Pharmaceuticals based in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, Glenn Schneider received a commission as a Second Lieutenant in May 1981 upon graduating from Glassboro State College in New Jersey; and

Whereas, following initial officer and artillery training, Glenn Schneider served on active duty in Hawaii, Panama, California, Okinawa, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, and Somalia with additional deployments to a variety of Far East, South Pacific, and Indian Ocean locations; and

Whereas, a participant in Operation Just Cause in Panama, Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm in the Middle East, and Operation Restore Hope in Somalia, Glenn Schneider transferred from active duty to the Reserve in 1993 and served in Saint Louis, Mississippi, Texas, and California before being activated for Operation Iraqi Freedom; and

Whereas, after release from active duty in 2003, Glenn Schneider returned to Cape Girardeau to serve in the Reserve in Kansas City as an Assistant Operations Officer under the command of Fleet Marine Forces, Pacific; and

Whereas, Lieutenant Colonel Glenn Schneider has been awarded the Navy/Marine Corps Commendation Medal with one star, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Armed Forces Reserve Medal; and

Whereas, Lieutenant Colonel Glenn Schneider is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved husband of the former Andrea Patterson of Kailua, Hawaii, and the loving father of Alex, Sarah, and Becky:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to salute Lieutenant Colonel Glenn Schneider and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as he addresses the Sikeston American Legion on Veterans Day 2008; 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 Lieutenant Colonel Glenn T. Schneider.

Offered by _____
Representative Ellen Brandom
District No. 160

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. 4522, adopted November 5, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker