

## House Resolution No. 4571

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives truly were saddened by the death of police Sergeant Michael King of the University City Police Department on October 31, 2008, at the age of fifty; and

**Whereas**, a twenty-five year veteran of the University City Police Department, Sergeant Michael King had distinguished himself as a firearms expert whose work ethic created a sound, professional environment for his colleagues; and

**Whereas**, always proud of his profession, Sergeant Michael King decided early in life that he wanted to protect society by being a member of the public safety and law enforcement community; and

**Whereas**, Sergeant Michael King was known to be knowledgeable, humble, and supportive, which are admirable traits that served him well as a mentor to younger officers; and

**Whereas**, Sergeant Michael King is survived by his wife, Susan, whom he married twenty-three years ago; his parents, Dr. M. Kenton King and June E. King; and siblings, Douglas W. King, John F. King, David S. King, and Thomas P. King; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily activities in order to acknowledge the passing away of such outstanding Missouri citizens as Michael King:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to memorialize the life and work of the late Michael King and to convey this legislative body's most heartfelt condolences to his family members, colleagues, friends, and neighbors who now miss his considerable strength, warmth, and light in their daily lives; 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 in honor of Sergeant Michael King of the University City Police Department.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Maria N. Chappelle-Nadal  
District No. 72

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. 4571, adopted November 12, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker