

1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, In 1941, Ronald Tribout was born to Edwin and
3 Gladys Tribout in Belleville; and

4 WHEREAS, In 1947, Mr. Tribout began his educational
5 career by attending St. Theresa Catholic Grade School in
6 Belleville; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Tribout further attended Cathedral Catholic
8 High School in Belleville where he lettered in Varsity
9 Football and Baseball; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Tribout served his country in the United
11 States Air Force Reserves from 1963 to 1969, where he was
12 stationed at Scott Air Force Base in Mascoutah, Illinois; and

13 WHEREAS, After his honorable discharge from the Air Force
14 Reserves, Mr. Tribout attended Belleville Junior College and
15 eventually graduated from Southern Illinois University in
16 Edwardsville in 1969 with a bachelor's degree in Education;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, Mr. Tribout began his teaching career in 1964 as
19 a fifth and sixth grade social studies teacher at St. Claire
20 Catholic Grade School in O'Fallon; and

21 WHEREAS, In 1967, Ronald Tribout married his wife of 35
22 years, Linda Sue Cummings, whom he met while attending
23 Southern Illinois University; they are the parents of Kevin,
24 Lucienne, and Marc; and

25 WHEREAS, In 1969, Mr. Tribout began his teaching career
26 at Mascoutah Senior High School in Mascoutah; throughout his
27 33-year tenure, he spent the majority of those years molding
28 young lives by coaching Girls Softball for 17 years, Boys
29 Football for over 10 years, and Boys Wrestling; and

30 WHEREAS, In 1991, the Mascoutah Indians Girls Varsity

1 Softball team under Mr. Tribout's direction made it to the
2 IHSA State Softball Semi-Final Playoff Game, where they
3 captured 4th place honors; and

4 WHEREAS, During his tenure at Mascoutah High School, Mr.
5 Tribout has shaped the lives of many young men and women
6 through instruction and athletics; he has witnessed many of
7 his students going on and pursuing wonderful careers,
8 becoming college athletes, and serving as community leaders;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, After a 33-year teaching career at Mascoutah
11 High School and an overall 36-year teaching career in the
12 State of Illinois, Ronald Tribout will retire in June 2002;
13 therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
15 NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
16 we congratulate and commemorate Ronald Tribout as he retires
17 from his 33-year teaching and coaching career at Mascoutah
18 High School, and we wish him well in all of his future
19 endeavors; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
21 presented to Ronald Tribout as an expression of our esteem.