## IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION congratulating Andy Jarnevic of Lee's Summit, MO, upon being named a National Merit Scholarship finalist.

**RESOLUTION NO. 18443**, March 24, 2014

**INTRODUCED BY** Bob Spence, County Legislator

WHEREAS, Andy Jarnevic, a senior at Lee's Summit High School, was named a National Merit Scholarship finalist; and,

WHEREAS, National Merit Scholarship winners are chosen from the finalists in each state judged to have the strongest combination of accomplishments, skills, and potential for success in rigorous college studies; and,

WHEREAS, Andy is a member of the National Honor Society, the Math Club, Tiger Mentoring, and is an International Baccalaureate Diploma candidate and a Missouri Scholar; and,

WHEREAS, in addition to being a Merit Scholarship finalist, Andy was recently selected for the Missouri Scholars 100 program, a statewide program that honors 100 of Missouri's top academic students; and,

WHEREAS, the National Merit Scholarship award was founded in 1955 as a privately financed, not-for-profit corporation that operates without government assistance; and,

WHEREAS, scholarships awarded are underwritten by nearly 500 independent sponsor organizations and institutions as well as with the corporation's own funds; and,

WHEREAS, nearly 1.5 million students throughout the United States entered the 2014 Merit Program as juniors by taking the preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, which serves as an initial screen of program entrants; and,

WHEREAS, Andy's parents, Michelle and Tom Jarnevic, are justifiably proud of their son; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature hereby congratulates Andy Jarnevic upon his recognition as a National Merit Scholarship Finalist and a Missouri Scholars 100 student, and extends best wishes to him in all of his future endeavors.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	11/1
Chief Deputy County Counselor	County Counselor
Certificate of Passage	
	tached resolution, Resolution No. 18443 of March 24  Larch 24  , 2014 by the Jackson County ere as follows:
Yeas9	Nays
Abstaining	Absent
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Date	Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature