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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION congratulating Lu Vaughan upon receiving the Variety Club's 1999 Humanitarian Service Award.

RESOLUTION # 12809, July 12, 1999

INTRODUCED BY Victor E. Callahan, County Legislator

WHEREAS, each year the Variety Club presents its Humanitarian Service Award to an individual who has made exceptional personal contributions in helping special needs children in the area; and,

WHEREAS, the recipient of this award for 1999 is Lu Vaughan, an Independence resident who has not only made substantial financial contributions to the Variety Club, but has dedicated countless hours of his time and energy to helping underprivileged children; and,

WHEREAS, Lu Vaughan has been involved with the Variety Club since 1974, when he co-founded the Sunshine Center School, helping lead the Variety Club out of a period of dormancy and into a productive era; and,

WHEREAS, the Variety Club began in 1927, with 75 chapters existing worldwide today, and more than 30 local charities are recipients of the organization's contributions; and,

WHEREAS, more than \$4 million has been raised by the Kansas City chapter, helping such organizations as Hope House and the Sunshine Center School; and,

WHEREAS, Lu Vaughan spent most of his career as owner of a chain of movie theaters, and he also established eastern Jackson County's cable television system in the early 1970's; and,

WHEREAS, Lu Vaughan is to be commended for his commitment to such a worthy cause, for demonstrating a true compassion for others, and for being dedicated to the task of enriching the lives of underprivileged children; and,

WHEREAS, admiration, respect, and appreciation go out to Lu Vaughan for his devotion and spirit of giving of himself and his resources; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature congratulates Lu Vaughan upon his receipt of the Variety Club's Humanitarian Service Award.

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution #12809 of July 12, 1999, was duly passed on _____ July 12 _____, 1999 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____ 8 _____

Nays _____ 0 _____

Abstaining _____ 0 _____

Absent _____ 1 _____

Date

Mary Jo Brogato

Clerk of Legislature