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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION commending Raytown letter carrier, Vickie Brandt for her heroism and quick response to a mother's crisis on December 10, 2001, which helped the Raytown Police Department recover a stolen vehicle with a 3-year-old child in the back seat.

RESOLUTION #14010, February 11, 2002

INTRODUCED BY Terry Young, County Legislator

WHEREAS, Raytown letter carrier, Vickie Brandt has been honored by the U.S. Postal Service for her heroism and quick response to a mother's crisis on December 10, 2001, which helped the Raytown Police recover a stolen vehicle with a 3-year-old child in the back seat; and,

WHEREAS, Vickie was delivering mail when she saw a Ford Excursion peel out of a driveway in the 5700 block of Blue Ridge Boulevard and heard a mother's cries for her baby; and,

WHEREAS, Vickie acted instinctively and helped the distraught mother dial 911; and,

WHEREAS, her quick response led the Raytown Police Department to a suspect in the stolen vehicle carrying the mother's 3-year-old child in the back seat; and,

WHEREAS, Vickie has been an employee with the U.S. Postal Service for 17 years; and,
WHEREAS, she has been trained under the Postal Service's Carrier Alert Program, a program which instructs carriers to alert authorities about suspicious behavior, mail pile-ups in an older adult's home, and other unusual circumstances; and,

WHEREAS, the U.S. Postal Service rewarded Vickie on Friday with a Special Recognition Award at the Raytown post office; and,

WHEREAS, Vickie is a hero by the standards of the citizens of Jackson County and especially to the family of the child she helped rescue on December 10, 2001; and,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature commends Vickie Brandt for her heroism and quick action in assisting the Raytown Police with recovering a stolen vehicle and returning a 3-year-old-child to the arms of a distraught mother.

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 #14010 of February 11, 2002 was duly passed on _____ February 11 _____, 2002 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____ 5 _____

Nays _____ 0 _____

Abstaining _____ 0 _____

Absent _____ 4 _____

Date

Mary Jo Brogoto, Clerk of Legislature