

House Resolution 916

By: Representative Alexander of the 66th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Michael Padgett; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most
3 important objective of the General Assembly; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mr. Padgett has shown by the example of his teaching career at Yeager Middle
5 School in Douglas County that the pursuit and attainment of scholastic success are within the
6 reach of the students in this state; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he provided and referred several students to serve as pages for the 2013
8 Legislative Session; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Padgett brought over 40 gifted students down to the capitol to learn about
10 state government and the legislative process; and
- 11 WHEREAS, he is married and is blessed with two sons, one stepson, one stepdaughter, one
12 grandson, and two granddaughters; and
- 13 WHEREAS, prior to his teaching career, Mr. Padgett served in the United States Air Force
14 and worked for 20 years as an industrial electrician; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he earned his bachelor's degree in education from Clayton State University and
16 his master's degree in instructional technology from American Intercontinental University;
17 and
- 18 WHEREAS, since 1998, he has taught sixth grade science and social studies, seventh grade
19 math and science, print media, study skills, career connections, computers, and math
20 connections; and

21 WHEREAS, in recognition of his contributions to the education and welfare of the young
22 people in this state, it is abundantly fitting and proper to honor the outstanding
23 accomplishments of this remarkable individual.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body commend Mr. Michael Padgett for his dedicated service to his
26 students, thank him for providing students to serve as pages during the 2013 Legislative
27 Session, and extend to him their most sincere best wishes for continued success.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Michael Padgett.