HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6004

A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending Shawnee Heights math teacher Bradley Nicks for being honored as a Milken Family Foundation National Educator.

WHEREAS, Bradley Nicks has been a devoted teacher of mathematics, head coach of the track team, and assistant coach to both the varsity and junior varsity football teams; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nicks has been an extremely popular and influential teacher to the students of Shawnee Heights High School for the past ten years; and

WHEREAS, The Milken Educator award is a highly prestigious distinction that has been likened to "the Oscars of teaching"; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nicks is the only Kansas educator in 2009 to win the award, and one of 57 Kansas teachers who have received the award since 2002; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nicks is a brilliant example of the excellent caliber of teachers that lend their talent and passion to the Kansas public education system; and

WHEREAS, Excellent teachers like Mr. Nicks are needed to ensure that the youth of Kansas continue to reach their full potential and become the leaders of their generations; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nicks will receive a cash award of \$25,000 and an all-expense paid trip to Los Angeles to participate in the annual Milken Education Forum: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the state of Kansas: That we congratulate and commend Bradley Nicks for being named a Milken Family National Educator, and applaud his continued dedication to the students of Shawnee Heights High School.

House Resolution No. 6004 was sponsored by Representative Ann Mah.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body	
	Speaker of the House.
	Chief Clerk of the House.