

The Speaker, on behalf of the entire membership of the House of Representatives, offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 346.

A resolution for the Honorable Scott Hummel.

Whereas, The members of this legislative body are proud to offer this expression of gratitude to Scott Hummel as he brings to a close his tenure of service and accomplishment in the Michigan House of Representatives. His leadership, most recently as the chair of the Appropriations Committee, as well as his service on the Civil Law and Judiciary; Redistricting and Elections; Education; Insurance; Local Government and Urban Policy; Tax Policy; and Transportation Committees, has been a great asset to his colleagues and the citizens of this state; and

Whereas, Scott Hummel earned his bachelor's degree in economics from Michigan State University. He built a 24-year career at one of the state's major employers, General Motors, working primarily in the experimental assembly department of the vehicle engineering division, prior to his election to the Michigan House of Representatives through a special election in 2001; and

Whereas, Representative Hummel also brought to the legislature a wealth of local government experience. His dedication to public service is evidenced by his long-standing commitment to the citizens of mid-Michigan. Prior to serving the constituents of the Ninety-third House District, he was a Clinton County Commissioner, board member of the Tri-County Office on Aging, member of the Mid-South Abuse Commission, and member of the 911 Dispatch Board; and

Whereas, Representative Hummel incorporated his insights and ideals on public policy issues into his work as a legislator. His tenacity and clarity of purpose as a steward of the people's money was a driving force behind the shaping of our state budget in the face of many challenges; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That for his years of commitment to the community and the citizens of the Great Lakes State, we extend our gratitude to the Honorable Scott Hummel as he concludes his service to this legislative body; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to Representative Scott Hummel as evidence of our thanks and good wishes.