

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1871

A RESOLUTION congratulating Shirley Simmons upon her retirement after
48 years in business.

WHEREAS, Shirley Simmons, owner and operator of Shirley's Café has been a dedicated business woman in the community of Overbrook and the surrounding area; and

WHEREAS, On February 15, 2008, exactly 48 years after having acquired the business, Shirley retired and closed the cafe; and

WHEREAS, Shirley worked several years for the previous owner and then bought the business on February 15, 1960, after taking out a personal loan while supporting her family as a single mother; and

WHEREAS, Shirley has been a dedicated business woman in the community of Overbrook and the surrounding area and has always been very supportive of anything related to children and youth of the area;

WHEREAS, For 48 years, the residents of Overbrook, their families and friends, and many guests from out of town enjoyed the food and friendly service at Shirley's Café: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That we congratulate Shirley Simmons for her retirement after 48 years of service to the community of Overbrook and the surrounding area and that we wish her well on all her future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of the Senate provide 5 copies of this resolution to Senator Hensley.

Senate Resolution No. 1871 was sponsored by Senator Anthony Hensley.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE,
and was adopted by that body

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.