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Carlin present every day of 2008 legislative session

House Democrats were recognized recently for not missing a day of the 2008 legislative session. Rep. Sydney Carlin, Manhattan, was among these individuals.

"The Kansas House Democrats demonstrated outstanding commitment during the 2008 legislative session," said House Minority Leader Dennis McKinney, Greensburg. "In a citizen legislature, lawmakers have families, jobs and other obligations in addition to their legislative work. The attendance of Rep. Carlin is a reflection of her devotion to House District 66 and Kansans across the state."

Carlin currently serves on the House Appropriations Committee and Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee. She represents the 66th House District- which covers a large portion of Manhattan.

The Kansas House of Representatives cast 389 recorded votes over the 90 days of the 2008 session. Forty-two of 47 House Democrats cast between 97 and 100 percent of eligible votes. Lawmakers considered 1,466 pieces of legislation between both chambers, with a total of 184 bills becoming law.

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