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HOUSE RESOLUTION

HONORING RESCUE CAPTAIN ANGELA L. TAYLOR ON THE OCCASION OF HER RETIREMENT FROM THE WEST GLOCESTER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Introduced By: Representatives Chippendale, Keable, and Casey

Date Introduced: June 02, 2015

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, Many people go through their lives without any personal contact with 2 potential life and death situations, without a defining moment that turns an ordinary person into a 3 hero. Members of Rhode Island's fire departments face such challenges each and every week and 4 Rescue Captain Angela Taylor is no exception; and WHEREAS, Service to the community has been just a way of life for Angela Taylor. A 5 volunteer firefighter, Captain Taylor exemplifies the ideals of an enthusiastic and truly dedicated 6 7 leader. Over the course of her career, she has not only worked diligently to obtain FEMA grants and the necessary funding for the proper functioning of the department, but she has most 8 9 importantly saved countless lives, homes, and personal property; and 10 WHEREAS, In addition, Captain Taylor managed the fire department's taxes and 11 disbursements under two Fire Chiefs and worked to ensure adherence to voting regulations for 12 public offices; and 13 WHEREAS, Captain Taylor has touched the lives and hearts of so many people. She is 14 truly an extraordinary woman who serves as a model of dedicated and conscientious civic service, 15 and she is eminently worthy of our emulation and acknowledgement; now, therefore be it RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and 16 Providence Plantations hereby recognizes, honors, and thanks Rescue Captain Angela Taylor on 17 the occasion of her retirement after many years of steadfast and unselfish service to the people of 18

West Glocester and the State of Rhode Island. We wish her some well-deserved relaxation, good

- 1 health, and much happiness in sunny Arizona; and be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
- 3 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Rescue Captain Angela Taylor.

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