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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2019

HOUSE RESOLUTION

EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS

Introduced By: Representatives Shekarchi, and Filippi

Date Introduced: March 26, 2019

Referred To: House read and passed

1	WHEREAS, It has been made known to the House that certain persons and organizations
2	are deserving of commendation; and
3	Alice Dunning, Wickford Middle School; the distinguished honor of winning the 2019
4	Rhode Island State Spelling Bee and best wishes in representing the state of Rhode Island at the
5	2019 National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.;
6	Representative Casimiro
7	Curt and Ann Lindenberger (owners), The Lash Lounge; celebrating the Grand Opening
8	of the Lash Lounge on January 31, 2019, at 1000 Chapel View Blvd. (Ste. 138), Cranston, Rhode
9	Island;
10	Speaker Mattiello
11	Raymond Mathieu; the joyous and momentous celebration of your 100th Birthday on
12	March 15, 2019;
13	Representative Johnston
14	Harrison M. Grigsby; the distinguished honor of receiving a 2019 Fellowship Grant in
15	Music Composition from the Rhode Island Council on the Arts for your hard work and dedication
16	to your craft;
17	Representative Ranglin-Vassell
18	Larry "Vatic" Kuumba; the distinguished honor of receiving a 2019 Fellowship Grant in
19	New Genres from the Rhode Island Council on the Arts for your hard work and dedication to
20	your craft;

1	Representative Ranglin-Vassell
2	Dave Chenevert, Executive Director, Rhode Island Manufacturing Association; receiving
3	the 2019 Manufacturing Champion Award from Providence Business News for your outstanding
4	work in promoting manufacturing as a modern industry for a future economy in Rhode Island;
5	Representative Ruggiero
6	The Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, Associate Justice of the RI Superior Court; being
7	honored at the 44th Annual St. Joseph's Day Dinner sponsored by the Piave Lodge, #364 Order
8	Sons & Daughters of Italy in America on March 19,2019;
9	Speaker Mattiello and Representative Corvese
.0	Pamela Shayer, Director, Lincoln Prevention Coalition; your successful completion of the
1	Anti-Drug Coalition National Leadership Academy for gaining the information necessary to
2	establish and maintain a highly effective anti-drug coalition for the people of Lincoln, Rhode
3	Island;
4	Representative Lyle
.5	Terri-Lynn Longpre, Grant Coordinator, Lincoln Prevention Coalition; your successful
6	completion of the Anti-Drug Coalition National Leadership Academy for gaining the information
.7	necessary to establish and maintain a highly effective anti-drug coalition for the people of
.8	Lincoln, Rhode Island;
9	Representative Lyle
20	First Lieutenant Tyler Parks, Tuckertown Fire Department; the distinguished honor of
21	receiving the 2019 Perryville Grange Community Service Award for your commitment and
22	dedication to the people of our community;
23	Representative Filippi
24	Martha Dion, Department Head, Science Department, Chariho Regional High School; the
25	distinguished honor of receiving the 2019 Perryville Grange Community Service Award for your
26	commitment and dedication to the people of our community;
27	Representative Filippi
28	The Westerly WARM Shelter; the distinguished honor of receiving the 2019 Perryville
29	Grange Community Service Award for your commitment and dedication to the people of our
80	community;
31	Representative Filippi
32	Kasim Yarn, Director, RI Office of Veterans Affairs; helping to provide much needed
33	information and outreach to veterans and military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for
34	appearing on "Veterans, Front and Center";

1	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
2	Ginny Hanson, President, RI Woman Veterans; helping to provide much needed
3	information and outreach to veteran and military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for
4	appearing on "Veterans, Front and Center";
5	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
6	William Fegley, Helping Hands Community Partners; helping to provide much needed
7	information and outreach to veteran and military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for
8	appearing on "Veterans, Front and Center";
9	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
10	LTC Sharon Harmon; helping to provide much needed information and outreach to
11	veteran and military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for appearing on "Veterans, Front and
12	Center";
13	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
14	Paul Cardoza; helping to provide much needed information and outreach to veteran and
15	military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for appearing on "Veterans, Front and Center";
16	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
17	Terry Addison; helping to provide much needed information and outreach to veteran and
18	military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for appearing on "Veterans, Front and Center";
19	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
20	Steve O'Donnell, Kent County YMCA, Military Families Program; helping to provide
21	much needed information and outreach to veteran and military families in Rhode Island. Thank
22	You for appearing on "Veterans, Front and Center";
23	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
24	Tim Ruel, Team Red, White, and Blue; helping to provide much needed information and
25	outreach to veteran and military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for appearing on "Veterans,
26	Front and Center";
27	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
28	Captain Randy Bagnell, Veteran Charters; helping to provide much needed information
29	and outreach to veteran and military families in Rhode Island. Thank You for appearing on
30	"Veterans, Front and Center";
31	Representative Vella-Wilkinson
32	Rokuichiro Michii; the completion of your term and your dedicated service and
33	friendship building bilateral relations between Japan and Rhode Island as the Consul General for
34	the Consulate of Japan in New England;

1	Representative Reinledy
2	James Conway; the distinguished honor and outstanding academic achievement of
3	placing 7 th in the 2018-2019 National InvestWrite Essay Competition;
4	Representative McNamara
5	Livia Leary; the distinguished honor and outstanding academic achievement of placing
6	4th in the 2018-2019 National InvestWrite Essay Competition;
7	Representative McNamara
8	Arnaud Mentré, Consul General of France; the Francophone Flag Raising Ceremony at
9	the Rhode Island State House and celebrating the rich and diverse Francophone culture, customs
0	and values in the state of Rhode Island;
1	Representatives Phillips, Casey and Morin
2	Mrs. Marie-Claude Francoeur, Québec Delegate in New England; the Francophone Flag
.3	Raising Ceremony at the Rhode Island State House and celebrating the rich and diverse
4	Francophone culture, customs and values in the state of Rhode Island;
5	Representatives Phillips, Casey and Morin
6	David Alward, Consul General of Canada; the Francophone Flag Raising Ceremony at
7	the Rhode Island State House and celebrating the rich and diverse Francophone culture, customs
.8	and values in the state of Rhode Island;
9	Representatives Phillips, Casey and Morin
20	Arianne Parvaresh-Rizi, Lincoln High School; being honored at the RI Tobacco 21
21	Advocacy Day at the Rhode Island State House and recognizing your outstanding commitment to
22	preventing tobacco use and raising the minimum sales age to 21 in Rhode Island;
23	Representative Lyle
24	Coach Richard Brassard, North Providence Little League; your 25 years of outstanding
25	service to the North Providence Little League and your commitment to teaching hard work,
26	dedication and sportsmanship to the little leaguers in the town of North Providence;
27	Representative Slater
28	Connor Williams, Sean Noel, Jack Clements, Collin Driscoll, Samuel Clements, Aaron
29	Sherlock, James Cook, Dylan Gallagher, Matthew Pacheco, Katherine Canning, William
80	Morissette, Christopher Quirk, Eric Stevens, Ryan Pietros, Daniel DeRobbio, Zachary Sayles,
81	Dylan Cunetta, Pilgrim High School Hockey; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the
32	Rhode Island Interscholastic League 2019 Division III Hockey Regular Season Championship
3	and the 2019 Division III Hockey State Championship;
34	Representative McNamara

1	Mike Boyajian, Jr. (Head Coach), Mike Boyajian, Sr. (Assistant Coach), Brian Pariseault
2	(Volunteer Coach), Tyler Walsh (Volunteer Coach); the outstanding athletic achievement of
3	coaching Pilgrim High School Hockey to the 2019 Division III Hockey Regular Season
4	Championship and the 2019 Division III Hockey State Championship;
5	Representative McNamara
6	Courtney DeSousa (Coach), Amanda Legarie (Assistant Coach), Pilgrim High School
7	Cheerleading; the outstanding athletic achievement of coaching Pilgrim High School
8	Cheerleading to the Rhode Island Interscholastic League 2019 Cheerleading Large Schools
9	Division State Championship and 4th Place at the New England Cheerleading Championships;
10	Representative McNamara
11	Alyssa Gould, Alyssa Giguere, Isabella Tuirok, Aliyah Medeiros, Anna DeMenezes,
12	Jalyn Wellington, Trinity Volpe, Damia Branca, Madison Hemond, Carissa Koop, Natalia
13	Ventura, Mia Vigeant, Olivia Nardolillo, Pilgrim High School Cheerleaders; the outstanding
14	athletic achievement of winning the Rhode Island Interscholastic League 2019 Cheerleading
15	Large Schools Division State Championship and 4 th Place at the New England Cheerleading
16	Championships;
17	Representative McNamara
18	The Feole Family, Steve, Pasqualina and Vincenzo Feole; the distinguished honor of your
19	visit to the Rhode Island House of Representatives and recognizing World Down Syndrome Day
20	2019 and the vital role of people with Down Syndrome in our lives and communities;
21	Speaker Mattiello
22	Patricia A. Fogarty; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 90th Birthday;
23	Representative Fogarty
24	Michael Shinego; your retirement after 13 years of dedicated service to Raytheon
25	Company and your many years of faithfully serving the people of the United States of America as
26	a member of the United States Armed Forces;
27	Representative Fogarty
28	Danielle D. Foster; your retirement after 12 years of dedicated service to Raytheon
29	Company and your many years of faithfully serving the people of the United States of America as
30	a member of the United States Armed Forces;
31	Representative Fogarty
32	Deborah Mangina; the distinction and honor of being named Exalted Ruler of the Elks
33	Tri-City Lodge #14 on March 24, 2019;
34	Representative Messier

1	Marie Bernado Sousa, Fresident Johnson and Wales Oliversity, the presugious honor of
2	being named as the new President of Johnson and Wales University;
3	Representative Serodio
4	Cristina Piccini; Thank You for your outstanding service and numerous contributions to
5	the success of the Dominican Independence Day Celebration in the state of Rhode Island on
6	February 27, 2019;
7	Representative Diaz
8	John Quainoo, Nick Sacchetti, Tristan Curran, Clay Brochu, Nolan Bush, Aiden Hindley-
9	Rivera, Ben Masse, Owen Moynihan, Dylan Poirier, Geoff Coyne, Nick Quarella, Mason Walsh,
10	Dan Smith, Rock Deresky, Caleb Wagner, Ryder Andersen; North Kingstown High School
11	Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the Rhode Island Interscholastic
12	League 2019 Division I Boys Basketball Championship and the 2019 Boys Basketball State
13	Championship;
14	Representatives Craven and Casimiro
15	Aaron Thomas (Head Coach), Kevin Gormley (Coach), James Simmons (Coach); the
16	outstanding achievement of coaching North Kingstown High School Basketball to the 2019
17	Division I Boys Basketball Championship and the 2019 Boys Basketball State Championship;
18	Representatives Craven and Casimiro
19	NOW, THEREFORE BE IT
20	RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives hereby extends to the aforesaid persons
21	and organizations its very best wishes on this memorable occasion and expresses the hope for
22	continued good fortune; and be it further
23	RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is respectfully requested to
24	transmit a properly inscribed citation to each of the aforesaid.
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