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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2012

SENATE RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING STEVE AND CATHY DELPOZZO ON BEING AWARDED THE RICHMOND GRANGE #6 COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD 2012

Introduced By: Senator V. Susan Sosnowski

Date Introduced: May 03, 2012

Referred To: Placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

1 WHEREAS, From judging square dance contests, trucking dairy heifers, and serving on a 2 multitude of committees, to traveling as coaches and chaperones, Steve and Cathy DelPozzo have 3 contributed to the community in ways that are too numerous to mention and that have earned 4 them the gratitude of the Richmond Grange #6; and WHEREAS, Steve and Cathy's exemplary volunteer activities include long-term support 5 6 of the 4-H program, coaching youth sports, chaperoning recreational programs, and ensuring the 7 presence of healthy options for kids at summer events; and 8 WHEREAS, Steve and Cathy have a long history of involvement with 4-H. They raised 9 their children, Mike, Keith, and Tammy, in the program, and have continued to make 4-H a part 10 of their lives long after their kids finished their participation; and 11 WHEREAS, Steve, also known affectionately as "Pappa D," has been an outstanding and 12 enthusiastic coach, leading the Rhode Island 4-H Dairy Quiz bowl team to eight wins at the 13 Eastern States Exposition Regional contest and bringing the teams to compete at the Nationals in 14 Kentucky; and 15 WHEREAS, Cathy has chaperoned the 4-H dairy girls at the Big E dorm for over thirty 16 years, has worked on several committees during the dairy event, and has passed out ribbons during the shows. Always keeping the girls safe and on time, Cathy was the well-respected "go to 17 18 person of reason" for many of the New England 4-H events; and

WHEREAS, A dynamic couple, Steve and Cathy have given much of their lives and time

- 1 to help others, benefiting many and becoming indispensable pillars of the community; now,
- 2 therefore be it
- 3 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
- 4 hereby congratulates Steve and Cathy DelPozzo on being awarded the 2012 Richmond Grange #6
- 5 Community Service Award; and be it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he hereby is authorized and directed to
- 7 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Steve and Cathy DelPozzo.

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