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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013

HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS

Introduced By: Representatives Mattiello, and Newberry

Date Introduced: January 22, 2013

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	Jean Paul Valencia; the distinguished honor of winning the Veterans of Foreign Wars
4	District 1 Voice of Democracy Essay Writing Program for the theme "Is Our Constitution Still
5	Relevant?";
6	Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison
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8	Christina Marsocci; the distinguished honor of winning the Veterans of Foreign Wars
9	District 2 Voice of Democracy Essay Writing Program for the theme "Is Our Constitution Still
10	Relevant?";
11	Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison
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13	Tyler Heald; the distinguished honor of winning the Veterans of Foreign Wars District 3
14	Voice of Democracy Essay Writing Program for the theme "Is Our Constitution Still Relevant?";
15	Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison
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17	Anne Flynn Rogers; the distinguished honor of winning the Veterans of Foreign Wars
18	District 1 Patriots Pen Essay Writing Program "What Would I Tell America's Founding
19	Fathers?";
20	Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison

2	Theodore Small; the distinguished honor of winning the Veterans of Foreign Wars
3	District 2 Patriots Pen Essay Writing Program "What Would I Tell America's Founding
4	Fathers?";
5	Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison
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7	Samantha Bowman; the distinguished honor of winning the Veterans of Foreign Wars
8	District 3 Patriots Pen Essay Writing Program "What Would I Tell America's Founding
9	Fathers?";
10	Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison
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12	Mayor Joseph M. Polisena, Town of Johnston; the distinguished honor of being sworn in
13	as the Mayor of the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
14	Representative Ucci
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16	Councilwoman Eileen Fuoco; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of
17	the Town Council for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
18	Representative Ucci
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20	Councilman Anthony A. Verardo; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member
21	of the Town Council for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
22	Representative Ucci
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24	Councilman David J. Santilli; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of
25	the Town Council for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
26	Representative Ucci
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28	Councilman Robert V. Russo; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of
29	the Town Council for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
30	Representative Ucci
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32	Councilwoman Stephanie P. Manzi; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a
33	member of the Town Council for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
34	Representative Ucci

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3	Robert A. LaFazia; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of the School
4	Committee for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
5	Representative Ucci
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7	Lorraine C. Iafrate; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of the School
8	Committee for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
9	Representative Ucci
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11	Janice D. Mele; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of the School
12	Committee for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
13	Representative Ucci
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15	Joseph W. Rotella; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of the School
16	Committee for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
17	Representative Ucci
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19	Susan M. Mansolillo; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as a member of the
20	School Committee for the Town of Johnston on January 14, 2013;
21	Representative Ucci
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23	Ken Ayars; the distinguished honor of receiving the R.I. Nursery and Landscape
24	Association Award of Merit for your outstanding service to the horticultural, agricultural, and
25	landscape communities in the State of Rhode Island;
26	Representatives Walsh, Tanzi and Finn
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28	Robert Matthews; the distinguished honor of receiving the Young Nursery Professional
29	of the Year Award for your contributions to the growth of the horticultural industry through
30	participation in the R.I. Nursery and Landscape Association;
31	Representatives Walsh, Tanzi and Finn
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33	Clem Dejardins; the distinguished honor of receiving the Past President Award for your
34	outstanding and dedicated service as President of the R.I. Nursery and Landscape Association;

1	Representatives Walsh, Tanzi and Finn
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3	Wilfrid Gates; the distinguished honor of receiving an Honorary Membership in the R.I.
4	Nursery and Landscape Association for your contributions and service to the horticultural,
5	agricultural, and landscape communities;
6	Representatives Walsh, Tanzi and Finn
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8	Andrew Oesch; the distinguished honor of receiving the Rhode Island State Council on
9	the Arts 2013 Fellowship in New Genres Grant for your outstanding and exemplary work in the
10	arts;
11	Representative Williams
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13	Rebecca Noon; the distinguished honor of receiving the Rhode Island State Council on
14	the Arts 2013 Project Grant – Individual Artist for your new play about museum security guards;
15	Representative Williams
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17	Maria DiFranco; the distinguished honor of receiving the Rhode Island State Council on
18	the Arts 2013 Project Grant - Individual Artist for documenting and conserving the Cultural
19	Heritage of Providence, Rhode Island;
20	Representative Williams
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22	Nicholas Halliday Carter; the distinguished honor of receiving the Rhode Island State
23	Council on the Arts 2013 Fellowship in Painting Grant for your outstanding and exemplary work
24	in the arts;
25	Representative Williams
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27	Providence Career and Technical Academy; the distinguished honor of receiving the
28	Rhode Island State Council on the Arts 2013 Project Grant – Education;
29	Representative Williams
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31	Brian Knoth; the distinguished honor of receiving the Rhode Island State Council on the
32	Arts 2013 Fellowship in Music Composition Grant for your outstanding and exemplary work in
33	the arts;
34	Representative Hull

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2	Jane Transo; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 50th Birthday on January 22,
3	2013;
4	Representative Hearn
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6	Karen Ann Holcombe Pet; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 50 th Birthday on
7	January 22, 2013;
8	Representative Hearn
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10	Domenico DiFusco; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 90th Birthday on
11	February 20, 2013;
12	Representative Jacquard
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14	Avelino (Chappy) Rose; the 80 th Anniversary of the founding of the International
15	Longshoremen's Association Local 1329 and being recognized in the documentary "Working the
16	Boats" and the photo exhibit Master of the Craft: Gallery of Memory;
17	Representative Williams
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19	Johnny "Ida" Valles; the 80 th Anniversary of the founding of the International
20	Longshoremen's Association Local 1329 and being recognized in the documentary "Working the
21	Boats" and the photo exhibit Master of the Craft: Gallery of Memory;
22	Representative Williams
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24	Robert Joseph; the 80 th Anniversary of the founding of the International Longshoremen's
25	Association Local 1329 and being recognized in the documentary "Working the Boats" and the
26	photo exhibit Master of the Craft: Gallery of Memory;
27	Representative Williams
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29	The Harold Fontes Family; the 80 th Anniversary of the founding of the International
30	Longshoremen's Association Local 1329 and being recognized in the documentary "Working the
31	Boats" and the photo exhibit Master of the Craft: Gallery of Memory;
32	Representative Williams
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1	International Longshoremen's Association Local 1329; the 80 th Anniversary of the
2	founding of the International Longshoremen's Association Local 1329 and being recognized in
3	the documentary "Working the Boats" and the photo exhibit Master of the Craft: Gallery of
4	Memory;
5	Representative Williams
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7	Beverly Williams; the distinguished honor of your installation as President of the Aime
8	Forand Housing Association on January 20, 2013;
9	Representative Fellela
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11	Dolores Petruska; the distinguished honor of your installation as Vice President of the
12	Aime Forand Housing Association on January 20, 2013;
13	Representative Fellela
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15	Lorna Zoglio; the distinguished honor of your installation as Corresponding Secretary of
16	the Aime Forand Housing Association on January 20, 2013;
17	Representative Fellela
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19	Cathy Santoro; the distinguished honor of your installation as Treasurer of the Aime
20	Forand Housing Association on January 20, 2013;
21	Representative Fellela
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23	Fausto Perez Adames; the distinguished honor of your visit to the State of Rhode Island
24	on January 22, 2013 and recognizing your extraordinary commitment and effort to being an
25	inspiration and role model for the people of the Dominican Republic;
26	Representative Diaz
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28	Ronald R. Girard, Woonsocket Fire Department; your retirement after 30 years of
29	dedicated and faithful service protecting the lives and properties of the citizens in the City of
30	Woonsocket, Rhode Island;
31	Representative Casey
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1	John N. Bartholomy, Woonsocket Fire Department; your retirement after 20 years of
2	dedicated and faithful service protecting the lives and properties of the citizens in the City of
3	Woonsocket, Rhode Island;
4	Representative Casey
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6	Fredrick G. Leduc, Woonsocket Fire Department; your retirement after 20 years of
7	dedicated and faithful service protecting the lives and properties of the citizens in the City of
8	Woonsocket, Rhode Island;
9	Representative Casey
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11	David P. Desautels, Woonsocket Fire Department; your retirement after 22 years of
12	dedicated and faithful service protecting the lives and properties of the citizens in the City of
13	Woonsocket, Rhode Island;
14	Representative Casey
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16	Reverend Pastor Cleo Darcia Graham; the historic occasion of your installation as a
17	member of the Pastoral Leadership Team at the Hope Congregational Church;
18	Representative Amore
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20	Hudson D. Carvalho; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as President of the
21	Portuguese American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
22	Representative Amore
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24	David J. Andrade; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as Vice President of the
25	Portuguese American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
26	Representative Amore
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28	Lisa M. Pimentel; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as Secretary of the
29	Portuguese American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
30	Representative Amore
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32	Edwin Alvarez; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as Treasurer of the Portuguese
33	American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
34	Representative Amore

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2	Maria C. Andrade; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as Assistant Secretary of
3	the Portuguese American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
4	Representative Amore
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6	Jose Borges; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as Assistant Treasurer of the
7	Portuguese American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
8	Representative Amore
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10	Jorge F. Ferreira; the distinguished honor of being sworn in as Chairman of the Board of
11	the Portuguese American Citizens Committee of the Rhode Island 2013 Executive Committee;
12	Representative Amore
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14	NOW, THEREFORE BE IT
15	RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives hereby extends to the aforesaid persons
16	and organizations its very best wishes on this memorable occasion and expresses the hope for
17	continued good fortune; and be it further
18	RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State hereby is respectfully requested to transmit a
19	properly inscribed citation to each of the aforesaid.

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