LC005020

## 2018 -- H 7691

## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

## IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2018

HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS

Introduced By: Representatives Shekarchi, and Morgan

Date Introduced: February 27, 2018

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  | Francisco Perdomo, President and Owner, The Mega 94.9; celebrating the Ribbon                      |
| 4  | Cutting on February 12, 2018 of your new Latino Radio Station "The Mega 94.9 FM";                  |
| 5  | Representatives Diaz and Slater  |
| 6  | Quilbio Perdomo, Program Director, The Mega 94.9; celebrating the Ribbon Cutting on                |
| 7  | February 12, 2018 of your new Latino Radio Station "The Mega 94.9 FM";                             |
| 8  | Representatives Diaz and Slater  |
| 9  | Jose Mendez (Yayo), Owner, The Mega 94.9; celebrating the Ribbon Cutting on                        |
| 10 | February 12, 2018 of your new Latino Radio Station "The Mega 94.9 FM";                             |
| 11 | Representatives Diaz and Slater  |
| 12 | David J. Viera; the prestigious honor of receiving the "Melvin Jones Award" at the $5^{th}$        |
| 13 | Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March 10, 2018;                                    |
| 14 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 15 | Detective Daniel Martin; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Police Officer of the           |
| 16 | Year" award at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March 10, 2018; |
| 17 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 18 | Firefighter Donald Clark; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Firefighter of the             |
| 19 | Year" award at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March 10, 2018; |
| 20 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |

| 1  | Firefighter Brian Thompson; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Firefighter of the               |
|----|--|
| 2  | Year" award at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March 10, 2018;     |
| 3  | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 4  | Faith Parisi; the distinguished honor of receiving the "High School Educator of the Year"              |
| 5  | award at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March 10, 2018;           |
| 6  | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 7  | Christina Hallman; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Middle School Educator of                 |
| 8  | the Year" award at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March 10, 2018; |
| 9  | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 10 | Michelle Lebreux; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Fort Barton Elementary                     |
| 11 | School Educator of the Year" award at the 5th Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on          |
| 12 | March 10, 2018;  |
| 13 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 14 | Armand DeBlois; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Pocasset Elementary School                   |
| 15 | Educator of the Year" award at the 5th Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March           |
| 16 | 10, 2018;  |
| 17 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 18 | Renee Bond; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Ranger Elementary School                         |
| 19 | Educator of the Year" award at the 5th Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on March           |
| 20 | 10, 2018;  |
| 21 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 22 | Paul McGovern, Jr. (Posthumously); the distinguished honor of receiving the "Citizen of                |
| 23 | the Year/Heart of a Lion" award at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Tiverton Lions Club Recognition Night on |
| 24 | March 10, 2018;  |
| 25 | Representatives Edwards and Canario  |
| 26 | Tess Farley, AmeriCorps VISTA Volunteer; your outstanding service as an AmeriCorps                     |
| 27 | VISTA Volunteer at Rhode Island Free Clinic, 2017-2018, helping to build capacity to provide           |
| 28 | health care for uninsured, low-income adults in Rhode Island;  |
| 29 | Representative Diaz  |
| 30 | Meilin Lim, AmeriCorps VISTA Volunteer; your outstanding service as an AmeriCorps                      |
| 31 | VISTA Volunteer at Rhode Island Free Clinic, 2017-2018, helping to build capacity to provide           |
| 32 | health care for uninsured, low-income adults in Rhode Island;  |
| 33 | Representative Diaz  |
| 34 | Orli Juarez; the outstanding achievement of receiving Notable Mention Honors in the                    |

| 1  | 2018 Write Rhode Island Short Story Competition for your story titled: Ayita's Last Dance;        |
|----|---|
| 2  | Representative Amore  |
| 3  | The Honorable David Nathan Alward, Consul General of Canada to New England; the                   |
| 4  | distinguished honor of your visit to the state of Rhode Island on February 13, 2018;              |
| 5  | Representative McNamara   |
| 6  | Helena Foulkes, CVS Health and CVS Pharmacy; your many years of outstanding and                   |
| 7  | dedicated service to shaping the future of health care for the people, businesses and communities |
| 8  | in the state of Rhode Island;   |
| 9  | Representative Tanzi  |
| 10 | Jonathon Fay, Barrington; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker            |
| 11 | High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display exemplary          |
| 12 | character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";  |
| 13 | Representative Winfield   |
| 14 | Mary Arkins, Barrington/Mt. Hope/Portsmouth Co-op; the distinction and honor of                   |
| 15 | receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes     |
| 16 | who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";             |
| 17 | Representative Winfield   |
| 18 | Ryan Bayne, Bishop Hendricken; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey             |
| 19 | Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display              |
| 20 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                              |
| 21 | Representative Winfield   |
| 22 | Kyle Pelletier, Burriville High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018          |
| 23 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display        |
| 24 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                              |
| 25 | Representative Winfield   |
| 26 | Caysie Gautreau, Burriville/St. Mary's Academy Bay View; the distinction and honor of             |
| 27 | receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes     |
| 28 | who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";             |
| 29 | Representative Winfield   |
| 30 | Jake Albanesa, Coventry High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018             |
| 31 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display        |
| 32 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                              |
| 33 | Representative Winfield   |
| 34 | Benjamin Meunier, Cranston West High School; the distinction and honor of receiving               |

| 1  | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best  |
|----|---|
| 2  | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                  |
| 3  | Representative Winfield   |
| 4  | Jenny Imbriglio, Cranston/East Greenwich Co-op; the distinction and honor of receiving        |
| 5  | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best  |
| 6  | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                  |
| 7  | Representative Winfield   |
| 8  | Jack Malloy, Cumberland High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018         |
| 9  | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display    |
| 10 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                          |
| 11 | Representative Winfield   |
| 12 | Isaac D. Carlson, East Greenwich High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the      |
| 13 | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best      |
| 14 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                  |
| 15 | Representative Winfield   |
| 16 | Michael Flori, Johnston/North Providence Co-op; the distinction and honor of receiving        |
| 17 | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best  |
| 18 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                  |
| 19 | Representative Winfield   |
| 20 | Eliza Mahoney, LaSalle Academy/Moses Brown Co-op; the distinction and honor of                |
| 21 | receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes |
| 22 | who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";         |
| 23 | Representative Winfield   |
| 24 | Sean Gill, LaSalle Academy; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey            |
| 25 | Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display          |
| 26 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                          |
| 27 | Representative Winfield   |
| 28 | Brenden Gannon, Lincoln/East Providence; the distinction and honor of receiving the           |
| 29 | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best      |
| 30 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                  |
| 31 | Representative Winfield   |
| 32 | Hunter Gervais, Moses Brown School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018          |
| 33 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display    |
| 34 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                          |

| 1  | Representative Winfield  |
|----|--|
| 2  | Mackenzie Morin, Mount St. Charles Academy; the distinction and honor of receiving           |
| 3  | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best |
| 4  | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                 |
| 5  | Representative Winfield  |
| 6  | Alex Gonfrade, Mount St. Charles Academy; the distinction and honor of receiving the         |
| 7  | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best     |
| 8  | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                 |
| 9  | Representative Winfield  |
| 10 | Ryan Cordeiro, Mt. Hope High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018        |
| 11 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display   |
| 12 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                         |
| 13 | Representative Winfield  |
| 14 | Austin Pratt, Narragansett/Chariho Co-op; the distinction and honor of receiving the         |
| 15 | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best     |
| 16 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                 |
| 17 | Representative Winfield  |
| 18 | Griffin Mancini, North Kingstown High School; the distinction and honor of receiving         |
| 19 | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best |
| 20 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                 |
| 21 | Representative Winfield  |
| 22 | Adam Blakemore, North Smithfield High School; the distinction and honor of receiving         |
| 23 | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best |
| 24 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                 |
| 25 | Representative Winfield  |
| 26 | Andrew Canning, Pilgrim High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018        |
| 27 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display   |
| 28 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                         |
| 29 | Representative Winfield  |
| 30 | Curtis Briggs, Ponaganset High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018      |
| 31 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display   |
| 32 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                         |
| 33 | Representative Winfield  |
| 34 | Nolan O' Brien, Portsmouth High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the           |

| 1  | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best       |
|----|--|
| 2  | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                   |
| 3  | Representative Winfield  |
| 4  | Patrick Coughlin, PSW-PCD/St. Ray's/Wheeler Co-op; the distinction and honor of                |
| 5  | receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes  |
| 6  | who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";          |
| 7  | Representative Winfield  |
| 8  | Cam Edward, RMR Co-op; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker            |
| 9  | High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display exemplary       |
| 10 | character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                                     |
| 11 | Representative Winfield  |
| 12 | Tyler Piekarski, Smithfield High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018      |
| 13 | Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display     |
| 14 | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                           |
| 15 | Representative Winfield  |
| 16 | Michael Ethier, lead alto sax, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding         |
| 17 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz |
| 18 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 19 | Representative Newberry  |
| 20 | Shawn Ready, 2 <sup>nd</sup> alto sax, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding |
| 21 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz |
| 22 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 23 | Representative Newberry  |
| 24 | Lucas Mariotti, lead tenor sax, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding        |
| 25 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz |
| 26 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 27 | Representative Newberry  |
| 28 | Elizabeth Dagesse, 2 <sup>nd</sup> tenor sax, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the      |
| 29 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High |
| 30 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 31 | Representative Newberry  |
| 32 | Zachary Wetmore, baritone sax, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the                     |
| 33 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High |
| 34 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |

| 1  | Representative Newberry  |
|----|--|
| 2  | Alex Thurley, lead trombone, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding               |
| 3  | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz     |
| 4  | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 5  | Representative Newberry  |
| 6  | Ashlee Esqueda, 2 <sup>nd</sup> trombone, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding  |
| 7  | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz     |
| 8  | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 9  | Representative Newberry  |
| 10 | Madeline Hanlon, 3 <sup>rd</sup> trombone, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the             |
| 11 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High     |
| 12 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 13 | Representative Newberry  |
| 14 | Emma Phillips, bass/4th trombone, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the                      |
| 15 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High     |
| 16 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 17 | Representative Newberry  |
| 18 | Alicyn Giraitis, French horn, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding              |
| 19 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz     |
| 20 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 21 | Representative Newberry  |
| 22 | Ben Allendorf, lead trumpet, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding               |
| 23 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz     |
| 24 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 25 | Representative Newberry  |
| 26 | Stuart Cenedella, 2 <sup>nd</sup> trumpet, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding |
| 27 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz     |
| 28 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 29 | Representative Newberry  |
| 30 | Patrick Vose, 3rd trumpet, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding                 |
| 31 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz     |
| 32 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 33 | Representative Newberry  |
| 34 | Autumn Casey, 1st clarinet, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding                |

| 1  | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz   |
|----|--|
| 2  | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 3  | Representative Newberry  |
| 4  | Lauryn Wholey, 2 <sup>nd</sup> clarinet, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding |
| 5  | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz   |
| 6  | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 7  | Representative Newberry  |
| 8  | Zachary Malian, drum set, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding                |
| 9  | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz   |
| 10 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 11 | Representative Newberry  |
| 12 | Quinn Parent, percussion/vibes, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the                      |
| 13 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High   |
| 14 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 15 | Representative Newberry  |
| 16 | Matt Taylor, percussion, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding                 |
| 17 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz   |
| 18 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 19 | Representative Newberry  |
| 20 | Rita Marcotte, percussion, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding               |
| 21 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz   |
| 22 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 23 | Representative Newberry  |
| 24 | Ethan Corriveau, piano, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the outstanding                  |
| 25 | achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz   |
| 26 | Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 27 | Representative Newberry  |
| 28 | Benjamin Morris, acoustic bass, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the                      |
| 29 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High   |
| 30 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |
| 31 | Representative Newberry  |
| 32 | Medoro A. Narcisi, III, Director, North Smithfield High School Jazz Band; the                    |
| 33 | outstanding achievement of Placing 1st in the Large Ensemble Class L5 at the 2018 Berklee High   |
| 34 | School Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;   |

| 1  | Representative Newberry  |
|----|--|
| 2  | Adam Blakemore, Jessica Daltorio, Ryan Deslauriers, Jarrod Dube, Katelyn Dubois,                             |
| 3  | Michael Ethier, Evan Freiberger, Lena Gatta, Alicyn Giraitis, Morgan Kruzan, Amanda                          |
| 4  | Lanciault, Elijah LeDuc, Rita Marcotte, Lucas Mariotti, Benjamin Morris, Eric Pugliese, James                |
| 5  | Schmidt, Elizabeth Votta, North Smithfield High School Jazz Choir; the outstanding achievement               |
| 6  | of Placing 3 <sup>rd</sup> in the Vocal Jazz Ensemble Class V3 at the 2018 Berklee High School Jazz Festival |
| 7  | on February 10, 2018;  |
| 8  | Representative Newberry  |
| 9  | Regina McAdam, Choral Director, North Smithfield High School; the outstanding                                |
| 10 | achievement of Placing 3 <sup>rd</sup> in the Vocal Jazz Ensemble Class V3 at the 2018 Berklee High School   |
| 11 | Jazz Festival on February 10, 2018;  |
| 12 | Representative Newberry  |
| 13 | William D. "Bill" Horne, Westerly Community Credit Union; your retirement as                                 |
| 14 | Chairman of the Board of Directors and as a member of the Board since 1994, and as Chair since               |
| 15 | 2002, as well as a past member of the Credit Committee and Supervisory Committee;                            |
| 16 | Representatives Kennedy and Azzinaro   |
| 17 | William F. Coty; the joyous and momentous celebration of your 75th Birthday;                                 |
| 18 | Representative Shekarchi   |
| 19 | Samuel Read; the outstanding achievement of winning the 2018 Write RI Short Story                            |
| 20 | Competition for your story titled: Secret Secrets Are No Fun;  |
| 21 | Representative Hearn   |
| 22 | Amanda Woodard; the outstanding achievement of winning the 2018 Write RI Short                               |
| 23 | Story Competition for your story titled: <u>Unwelcome Guests</u> ;   |
| 24 | Representative Hearn   |
| 25 | James Freiman; the outstanding achievement of receiving Notable Mention Honors at the                        |
| 26 | 2018 Write RI Short Story Competition for your story titled: Toast Crumbs;                                   |
| 27 | Representative Hearn   |
| 28 | Violet Johnson; the outstanding achievement of receiving Notable Mention Honors at the                       |
| 29 | 2018 Write RI Short Story Competition for your story titled: To Raise the Sea;                               |
| 30 | Representative Hearn   |
| 31 | George Edward Sousa; the joyous and momentous celebration of your 70th Birthday on                           |
| 32 | March 16, 2018;  |
| 33 | Representative Lombardi  |
| 34 | Jose Luis Suazo; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award Committee                           |

| 1  | of Rhode Island "Outstanding Contribution to Dominican Art" at the Rhode Island State House |
|----|---|
| 2  | on February 27, 2018;   |
| 3  | Representative Diaz   |
| 4  | Antonio Valdez; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award Committee           |
| 5  | of Rhode Island "Outstanding Dominican Business Leadership" at the Rhode Island State House |
| 6  | on February 27, 2018;   |
| 7  | Representative Diaz   |
| 8  | Dr. Jose Polanco; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award                   |
| 9  | Committee of Rhode Island "Outstanding Dominican Professionals" at the Rhode Island State   |
| 10 | House on February 27, 2018;   |
| 11 | Representative Diaz   |
| 12 | Dr. Joany Santa; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award Committee          |
| 13 | of Rhode Island "Outstanding Dominican Leadership in Education" at the Rhode Island State   |
| 14 | House on February 27, 2018;   |
| 15 | Representative Diaz   |
| 16 | Anaridis Rodriguez; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award                 |
| 17 | Committee of Rhode Island "Outstanding Dominican Youth Talent" at the Rhode Island State    |
| 18 | House on February 27, 2018;   |
| 19 | Representative Diaz   |
| 20 | Francisco Ramirez; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award                  |
| 21 | Committee of Rhode Island "Outstanding Contribution to the Dominican Sport in RI" at the    |
| 22 | Rhode Island State House on February 27, 2018;  |
| 23 | Representative Diaz   |
| 24 | Gregorio Vanderhorst; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage Award               |
| 25 | Committee of Rhode Island "Outstanding Dominican Public Servant in RI" at the Rhode Island  |
| 26 | State House on February 27, 2018;   |
| 27 | Representative Diaz   |
| 28 | U.S. Senator Sheldon Whitehouse; receiving the Dominican Independence and Heritage          |
| 29 | Award Committee of Rhode Island "Outstanding Contribution to the Dominican Community" at    |
| 30 | the Rhode Island State House on February 27, 2018;  |
| 31 | Representative Diaz   |
| 32 | Ramona Hernandez, PhD, Director, CUNY Dominican Studies Institute and Professor of          |
| 33 | Sociology; the honor of your visit to the Rhode Island State House and being the Keynote    |
| 34 | Speaker at the 2018 Dominican Independence and Heritage Awards on February 27, 2018;        |

| 1  | Representative Diaz   |
|----|---|
| 2  | Nicholas D. Brooks, Harrisville Fire Department; your 10 years of faithful service and            |
| 3  | commitment to provide the people of the town of Burriville and village of Harrisville with the    |
| 4  | highest standard of emergency services, "Loyal to your Duty";                                     |
| 5  | Representative Keable   |
| 6  | Robert M. Ramieglio, Harrisville Fire Department; your 15 years of faithful service and           |
| 7  | commitment to provide the people of the town of Burriville and Village of Harrisville with the    |
| 8  | highest standard of emergency services, "Loyal to your Duty";                                     |
| 9  | Representative Keable   |
| 10 | Keith R. Jackson, Harrisville Fire Department; your 10 years of faithful service and              |
| 11 | commitment to provide the people of the town of Burriville and Village of Harrisville with the    |
| 12 | highest standard of emergency services, "Loyal to your Duty";                                     |
| 13 | Representative Keable   |
| 14 | Elizabeth Carney, state of Rhode Island; your retirement on March 14, 2018, after 17.5            |
| 15 | years of dedicated and faithful service to the people of the state of Rhode Island as a member of |
| 16 | the RI Department of Revenue-Division of Taxation;  |
| 17 | Speaker Mattiello   |
| 18 | Eva Haan, Quest Montessori School; the outstanding achievement of receiving Notable               |
| 19 | Mention Honors at the 2018 Write Rhode Island Competition for your story titled: Deeper Water;    |
| 20 | Representative Giarrusso  |
| 21 | Victor F. Capellan; the honor of receiving the Silver Bowl Award at the Dominican                 |
| 22 | Independence Day Ceremony for your selflessness, passion, leadership in empowering youth,         |
| 23 | community service and commitment to excellence in the field of Education;                         |
| 24 | Representative Diaz   |
| 25 | Angelica Infante-Greene; the honor of being Keynote Speaker at the Dominican                      |
| 26 | Independence Day Celebration at the Providence City Hall and recognizing your contributions in    |
| 27 | education, community service and mentoring and empowering our youth;                              |
| 28 | Representative Diaz   |
| 29 | Jami Hill, Carly Tomlinson, Mackenzie Mahar, Avery Martin, Ava Wentworth, Elizabeth               |
| 30 | Maciocio, Ashleigh Waterman-Pelletier, Sarah Hancock, Holiday Awe, Emma Eden, Lauren              |
| 31 | Fewlass, Malia Young, Peshawee Sampson, Reagan Bell, Camryn Glenn, Hannah Haxton, Lisa            |
| 32 | Brown, Sophie White, Autumn Mancini (manager), Julia Reid (manager), Scott Benford (coach),       |
| 33 | Curtis Corner Middle School Girls Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning     |
| 34 | the Rhode Island Principals' Committee on Athletics 2018 Girls Basketball State Championship;     |
|    |   |

| 1  | Representative Tanzi  |
|----|---|
| 2  | Declan Wholey, Harrison Lurgio, Jimmy Robbin, Pheonix Sward, Joey Scrofani, Lavelle               |
| 3  | Shepard, Lawrence Cardoya, Luca Prodigio, Matt Calabro, Matt Lennon, Nick Biafore, Noah           |
| 4  | Brunelli, Jared Chaloux, Vince Holleran, Tom Calabro, Robert Cruz (coach), Daniel Viera           |
| 5  | (coach), Curtis Corner Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of     |
| 6  | winning the Rhode Island Principals' Committee on Athletics 2018 Boys Basketball State            |
| 7  | Championship;   |
| 8  | Representative Tanzi  |
| 9  | Missioner Jeff Mocarsky; the distinguished honor of your visit to the state of Rhode              |
| 10 | Island and thank you for your dedicated and faithful service to the Eagle Conference;             |
| 11 | Representative Diaz   |
| 12 | Glenn Wilson; the distinguished honor of your visit to the state of Rhode Island and              |
| 13 | thank you for your dedicated and faithful service to the Eagle Conference;                        |
| 14 | Representative Diaz   |
| 15 | Victor F. Capellan; the distinguished honor of receiving the "Silver Bowl Award" at the           |
| 16 | Dominican Independence Day Celebration at Providence City Hall on February 25, 2018;              |
| 17 | Representative Slater   |
| 18 | Angelica Infante-Greene; the distinguished honor of being Keynote Speaker at the                  |
| 19 | Dominican Independence Day Ceremony at Providence City Hall on February 25, 2018;                 |
| 20 | Representative Slater   |
| 21 | Kathleen Lanowy, State of Rhode Island; your retirement on March 8, 2018, after 30                |
| 22 | years of dedicated and faithful service to the people of the state of Rhode Island as a member of |
| 23 | the RI Department of Revenue- Division of Taxation;   |
| 24 | Speaker Mattiello   |
| 25 | Nancy Longiaru; your retirement after 41 years of outstanding service to the people of the        |
| 26 | city of Warwick by going the extra mile and providing the perfect combination of great food and   |
| 27 | friendly service at the Sandwich Junction;  |
| 28 | Representative Vella-Wilkinson  |
| 29 | Kathy Ruginski; your retirement after many years of outstanding service to the people of          |
| 30 | the city of Warwick by going the extra mile and providing the perfect combination of great food   |
| 31 | and friendly service at the Sandwich Junction;  |
| 32 | Representative Vella-Wilkinson  |
| 33 | Jill Rose McLaughlin; your retirement after 46 years of dedicated and faithful service to         |
| 34 | the people of the state of Rhode Island as Supervisor of the CAT Scan department at Rhode         |

| 2  | Speaker Mattiello   |
|----|---|
| 3  | John J. Mansolillo, State of Rhode Island; your retirement after 30 years of dedicated and        |
| 4  | faithful service to the people of the state of Rhode Island as Chief of the Family Health Systems |
| 5  | and Office of Program Integrity at the Executive Office of Health and Human Services;             |
| 6  | Representative Ruggiero   |
| 7  | Katie Martin, Sentinels/Oaker, Smithfield/Coventry/Rogers Co-op; the distinction and              |
| 8  | honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding             |
| 9  | student-athletes who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds         |
| 10 | Excellence";  |
| 11 | Representative Winfield   |
| 12 | Emma Rial, The Storm, South County Storm; the distinction and honor of receiving the              |
| 13 | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best          |
| 14 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                      |
| 15 | Representative Winfield   |
| 16 | Bobby Sprague, Rebels, South Kingstown High School; the distinction and honor of                  |
| 17 | receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes     |
| 18 | who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";             |
| 19 | Representative Winfield   |
| 20 | Alexi Ruggieri, Crusaders, The Prout School; the distinction and honor of receiving the           |
| 21 | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best          |
| 22 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                      |
| 23 | Representative Winfield   |
| 24 | Noah Kane, Titans, Toll Gate High School; the distinction and honor of receiving the              |
| 25 | "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best          |
| 26 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                      |
| 27 | Representative Winfield   |
| 28 | Shannon McCamish, Lady Titans, Warwick Co-op; the distinction and honor of receiving              |
| 29 | the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best      |
| 30 | display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                      |
| 31 | Representative Winfield   |
| 32 | Nick Pecchia, Knight-Wizards, West Warwick-Exeter West Greenwich Co-op; the                       |
| 33 | distinction and honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey Baker High School Character Award" for         |
| 34 | outstanding student-athletes who best display exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character    |

| 1  | Builds Excellence";   |
|----|---|
| 2  | Representative Winfield   |
| 3  | Jared Rivard, Sparta Novans; the distinction and honor of receiving the "2018 Hobey             |
| 4  | Baker High School Character Award" for outstanding student-athletes who best display            |
| 5  | exemplary character and sportsmanship "Character Builds Excellence";                            |
| 6  | Representative Winfield   |
| 7  | Normand and Claire Lanois; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 65th Wedding               |
| 8  | Anniversary;  |
| 9  | Representative Ackerman   |
| 10 | Rosa Inirio; the joyous and momentous occasion of celebrating a Happy Birthday on               |
| 11 | February 23, 2018;  |
| 12 | Representative Diaz   |
| 13 | Fire Chief Frank Brown, Hopkins Hill and Central Coventry Fire District; the                    |
| 14 | distinguished honor of being named President of the 2018 Rhode Island Association of Fire       |
| 15 | Chiefs;   |
| 16 | Representative Roberts  |
| 17 | Stephanie (Altieri) and Michael Lombardi; the joyous and momentous occasion of the              |
| 18 | birth of your son Michael Andrew Lombardi on February 15, 2018;                                 |
| 19 | Representative Fellela  |
| 20 | Charles L. Niles, Jr.; your 65 years of dedicated and faithful service to the Freemasons in     |
| 21 | the state of Rhode Island and recognizing your commitment to family, faith, country, fraternity |
| 22 | and the principals of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth;   |
| 23 | Representative Roberts  |
| 24 | NOW, THEREFORE BE IT  |
| 25 | RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives hereby extends to the aforesaid persons             |
| 26 | and organizations its very best wishes on this memorable occasion and expresses the hope for    |
| 27 | continued good fortune; and be it further   |
| 28 | RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is respectfully requested to                |
| 29 | transmit a properly inscribed citation to each of the aforesaid.                                |
|    |   |

LC005020