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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014**

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**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

**EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS**

Introduced By: Representatives Mattiello, and Newberry

Date Introduced: March 11, 2014

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           Linda Hunter; Rhode Island Free Clinic would like to honor Linda Hunter for her  
4 remarkable service by nominating her Volunteer of the Month, March 2014;

5   Representative Diaz

6           Edward M. Kwiatkowski, Boy Scout Troop 1, Arnold Mills; attaining the rank of Eagle  
7 Scout in the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment and dedication to the values of  
8 Scouting, Citizenship, Character, and Fitness;

9   Representatives MacBeth and Ackerman

10          Samuel T. McQuaid, Boy Scout Troop 1, Arnold Mills; attaining the rank of Eagle Scout  
11 in the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment and dedication to the values of Scouting,  
12 Citizenship, Character, and Fitness;

13   Representatives MacBeth and Ackerman

14          Patrick J. Regan, Boy Scout Troop 1, Arnold Mills; attaining the rank of Eagle Scout in  
15 the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment and dedication to the values of Scouting,  
16 Citizenship, Character, and Fitness;

17   Representatives MacBeth and Ackerman

18          Samuel J. Robinson, Boy Scout Troop 1, Arnold Mills; attaining the rank of Eagle Scout  
19 in the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment and dedication to the values of Scouting,  
20 Citizenship, Character, and Fitness;

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Representatives MacBeth and Ackerman

Morgan C. Smith, Boy Scout Troop 1, Arnold Mills; attaining the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment and dedication to the values of Scouting, Citizenship, Character, and Fitness;

Representatives MacBeth and Ackerman

Mr. Takaai Ogata, Executive Director, Japan Local Government Center, New York; the distinguished honor of your visit to the State of Rhode Island and the House of Representatives on March 4, 2014;

Representatives McNamara and Abney

Donald L. Johnson; the distinguished honor of being named "Firefighter of the Year" by the West Warwick Lions Club for your outstanding service to the Town of West Warwick, Rhode Island;

Representative Serpa

Alyson J. Satchell; the distinguished honor of being named "Teacher of the Year" by the West Warwick Lions Club for your outstanding service to the Town of West Warwick, Rhode Island;

Representative Serpa

Barbara Clarke Tabak; the distinguished honor of being named "Citizen of the Year" by the West Warwick Lions Club for your outstanding service to the Town of West Warwick, Rhode Island;

Representative Serpa

Kaitlin Roig-DeBellis; the distinguished honor of your visit to the State of Rhode Island and recognizing your heroics on December 14, 2012 and creating "Classes 4 Classes" to teach every child in our nation the power to take action and create positive change;

Representatives Marshall, Gallison, and Malik

Leah N. Lancellotta, Western Hills Middle School Team; the distinction and honor of being recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative App Challenge;

Representative Marcello

Jake M. Levin, Western Hills Middle School Team; the distinction and honor of being recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative App Challenge;

Representative Marcello

Virak Pond-Tor, Western Hills Middle School Team; the distinction and honor of being

1 recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative App  
2 Challenge;

3 Representative Marcello

4 Rachel A. DeBlasio, Western Hills Middle School Team; the distinction and honor of  
5 being recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative  
6 App Challenge;

7 Representative Jacquard

8 Tea A. Conti, Western Hills Middle School Team; the distinction and honor of being  
9 recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative App  
10 Challenge;

11 Representative Mattiello

12 Michael J. Blackburn (Advisor), Western Hills Middle School Team; the distinction and  
13 honor of being recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region winner at the 2014 Verizon  
14 Innovative App Challenge;

15 Representative Mattiello

16 Western Hills Middle School; being recognized as a Best in State and Best in Region  
17 winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative App Challenge;

18 Representative Mattiello

19 Western Hills Middle School Students; being recognized as a Best in State and Best in  
20 Region winner at the 2014 Verizon Innovative App Challenge;

21 Representative Mattiello

22 Paul A. Shatraw, Fire Chief; your promotion to Fire Chief of the Woonsocket, Rhode  
23 Island Fire Department;

24 Representatives Newberry, Casey, Phillips, and Morin

25 Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Frappier; the joyous occasion of your Marriage on March 1,  
26 2014;

27 Representative Mattiello

28 Todd Flaherty; the distinguished honor of receiving the Rhode Island Superintendents'  
29 Association 2014 Paul Crowley Award;

30 Representative Tanzi

31 Kip and Andrea Colwell; the joyous and momentous occasion of your Wedding Day on  
32 February 22, 2014;

33 Representative Guthrie

34 Sergeant Elayna Boucher, Brown University; the distinguished honor of receiving the

1 "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on March 6, 2014;

2 Representative Coderre

3 Officer Maria Caranci Blanchette, Capitol Police; the distinguished honor of receiving  
4 the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on March 6, 2014;

5 Representative Coderre

6 Officer Alyssa Cloutier, Coventry Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
7 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
8 March 6, 2014;

9 Representative Coderre

10 Acting Captain Karen Guilbeault, Cranston Police Department; the distinguished honor  
11 of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
12 March 6, 2014;

13 Representative Coderre

14 Sergeant Maari Stainer, East Providence Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
15 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
16 March 6, 2014;

17 Representative Coderre

18 Sergeant Kimberly Bertholic, Glocester Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
19 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
20 March 6, 2014;

21 Representative Coderre

22 Lieutenant Angela Deneault, Jamestown Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
23 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
24 March 6, 2014;

25 Representative Coderre

26 Sergeant Megan Boulet, Johnston Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
27 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
28 March 6, 2014;

29 Representative Coderre

30 Detective Lieutenant Dana Packer, Lincoln Police Department; the distinguished honor  
31 of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
32 March 6, 2014;

33 Representative Coderre

34 Senior Patrolman Suzanne Cressman, Little Compton Police Department; the

1 distinguished honor of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode  
2 Island State House on March 6, 2014;

3 Representative Coderre

4 Sergeant Joanne Alboum, Middletown Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
5 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
6 March 6, 2014;

7 Representative Coderre

8 Sergeant Rita Barker, Newport Police Department; the distinguished honor of receiving  
9 the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on March 6, 2014;

10 Representative Coderre

11 Detective Amanda Bodette, North Kingstown Police Department; the distinguished honor  
12 of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
13 March 6, 2014;

14 Representative Coderre

15 Sergeant Diana Perez, North Providence Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
16 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
17 March 6, 2014;

18 Representative Coderre

19 Captain Tina Goncalves, Pawtucket Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
20 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
21 March 6, 2014;

22 Representative Coderre

23 Officer Maryanne Perry, Portsmouth Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
24 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
25 March 6, 2014;

26 Representative Coderre

27 Lieutenant Alyssa B. Deandrade, Providence Police Department; the distinguished honor  
28 of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
29 March 6, 2014;

30 Representative Coderre

31 Lieutenant Sandra Kittell, Providence Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
32 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
33 March 6, 2014;

34 Representative Coderre

1 The Honorable Arlene Violet, Rhode Island Attorney General; the distinguished honor of  
2 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
3 March 6, 2014;

4 Representative Coderre

5 Assistant AG, Division Chief Stacey Veroni, Rhode Island Attorney General; the  
6 distinguished honor of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode  
7 Island State House on March 6, 2014;

8 Representative Coderre

9 Lieutenant Cheryl Freitas, Rhode Island Division of Sheriffs; the distinguished honor of  
10 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
11 March 6, 2014;

12 Representative Coderre

13 Lieutenant Colonel Karen Pinch, Rhode Island State Police; the distinguished honor of  
14 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
15 March 6, 2014;

16 Representative Coderre

17 Officer Karen Haarr, Scituate Police Department; the distinguished honor of receiving the  
18 "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on March 6, 2014;

19 Representative Coderre

20 Sergeant Joyce Comstock, South Kingstown Police Department; the distinguished honor  
21 of receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
22 March 6, 2014;

23 Representative Coderre

24 Sergeant Erica Vieira, University of Rhode Island; the distinguished honor of receiving  
25 the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on March 6, 2014;

26 Representative Coderre

27 Captain Christine Kelley, Warwick Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
28 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
29 March 6, 2014;

30 Representative Coderre

31 Officer Sandra Marinucci, West Warwick Police Department; the distinguished honor of  
32 receiving the "2014 International Women's Day Award" at the Rhode Island State House on  
33 March 6, 2014;

34 Representative Coderre

1 Spc. Edwin C. Kilcline, IV, United States Army 237<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company; being  
2 honored for your dedicated and faithful service protecting and defending our country and our  
3 freedoms during your deployment in Afghanistan as a member of the United States Army;

4 Representatives McLaughlin, Hearn, and Malik

5 Jonathan J. Houston; the distinction and honor of being named 2014 Grand Marshal of  
6 the Providence Saint Patrick's Day Parade on March 8, 2014;

7 Representative Messier

8 Robert Lauro; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday on March 17,  
9 2014;

10 Representative Lombardi

11 Paula Roberti; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday on February 27,  
12 2014;

13 Representative Lombardi

14 George and Margaret Giusti; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 45<sup>th</sup> Wedding  
15 Anniversary on March 1, 2014;

16 Representative Guthrie

17 Fire Chief Clarence A. Cunha; the distinguished honor of being promoted to the rank of  
18 Fire Chief in the Providence Fire Department on December 20, 2013;

19 Representative Slater

20 Assistant Fire Chief Daniel J. Crowley; the distinguished honor of being promoted to the  
21 rank of Assistant Fire Chief in the Providence Fire Department on February 13, 2014;

22 Representative Slater

23 Fire Marshal Frank G. Silva; the distinguished honor of being promoted to the rank of  
24 Fire Marshal in the Providence Fire Department on February 26, 2014;

25 Representative Slater

26 Peter Behan; the distinguished honor of being named Ancient Order of Hibernians  
27 Dennis E. Collins #1, Newport, Rhode Island "2014 Hibernian of the Year";

28 Representatives Martin and Abney

29 Robert "Bobbie" O'Neill; the distinguished honor of being named 2014 Grand Marshal of  
30 the 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Newport St. Patrick's Day Parade;

31 Representatives Martin and Abney

32 Andrew Blessing, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the  
33 outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee  
34 on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

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Cole Campbell, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Colin Cianciolo, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Jack Foster, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

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Corey Gavin, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

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Roman Gloria, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

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Tyghe Healy, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Joe Hedde, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Sean Isebrand, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Eamon Keenan, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic



1 achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle  
2 School Boys Basketball State Championship;

3 Representative Giarrusso

4 Harrison Leonard, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding  
5 athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics  
6 Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

7 Representative Giarrusso

8 Andrew Licciardi, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding  
9 athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics  
10 Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

11 Representative Giarrusso

12 Mason Minghella, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding  
13 athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics  
14 Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

15 Representative Giarrusso

16 David Norton, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic  
17 achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle  
18 School Boys Basketball State Championship;

19 Representative Giarrusso

20 Wellington Pena, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding  
21 athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics  
22 Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

23 Representative Giarrusso

24 Matthew Plympton, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding  
25 athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics  
26 Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

27 Representative Giarrusso

28 Dante Prosseda, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic  
29 achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle  
30 School Boys Basketball State Championship;

31 Representative Giarrusso

32 Ravi Somvanshi, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic  
33 achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle  
34 School Boys Basketball State Championship;

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Representative Giarrusso

Manager Will O'Toole, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Coach Joe Szymkowicz, Archie R. Cole Middle School Boys Basketball; the outstanding athletic achievement of winning the 2013-2014 Rhode Island Principals Committee on Athletics Middle School Boys Basketball State Championship;

Representative Giarrusso

Gary Maddocks, State Commander, Rhode Island Veterans of Foreign Wars; your service as the 2013-2014 State Commander of the Rhode Island Veterans of Foreign Wars and recognizing your commitment to veterans and their families serving the local community and promoting pride in America;

Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison

Denise Ride, President, Rhode Island Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary; your service as the 2013-2014 President of the Rhode Island Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary and recognizing your commitment to serving and honoring our veterans and their families;

Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison

Joseph B. Nadeau, Woonsocket Call Reporter; receiving the United Veterans Council of Woonsocket "2014 Patriot of the Year Award";

Speaker Fox and Representative Gallison

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives hereby extends to the aforesaid persons and organizations its very best wishes on this memorable occasion and expresses the hope for continued good fortune; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is respectfully requested to transmit a properly inscribed citation to each of the aforesaid.

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