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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2019

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS

Introduced By: Representatives Shekarchi, and Filippi

Date Introduced: April 02, 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 David Marszalkowski, Boy Scout Troop 2, Woonsocket; the distinction and honor of  
4 attaining the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment and  
5 dedication to the values of Scouting, Citizenship, Character and Fitness;

6 Representative Casey

7 Betsey Anderson, Director, Jamestown Senior Center; the distinguished honor of being  
8 named as the first Director of the Jamestown Senior Center. Thank You for your unwavering  
9 support for our seniors and our community;

10 Representative Ruggiero

11 Frank A. Sposato; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday on March  
12 21, 2019;

13 Representative Kennedy

14 Agnes H. Hanley; the joyous and momentous occasion of your 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday on March  
15 27, 2019;

16 Representative Kennedy

17 Emily Aguiar, Alexis Amaral, Talia Azivino, Joei Arruda, Jovana Bell, Abigail Bello,  
18 Macie Botello, Kayla Colicchio, Kaylee Crowley, Jillian D'Ambrosca, Katie Dennison, Catherine  
19 Fleury, Emily Flyntz, Monica Frizzle, Emma Hamilton, Alexis Laferriere, Alyssa Lambert, Jillian  
20 Lemoi, Mason Pacheco, Jayden Peacock, Abby Resendes, Colby Rogers, Leo Salazar, Christina

1 Sebastiao, Brianna St. Germain, Amanda Swider, Ava Tavares, Geena Toro, Bailey Waterman,  
2 Madison Waterman, Taylor Gargano (Head Coach), Ariana Witherspoon (Assistant Coach),  
3 Lindsey Swider (Volunteer Coach), West Warwick High School Cheerleading; the outstanding  
4 athletic achievement of winning the Rhode Island Interscholastic League 2019 Competition Co-  
5 ed Cheerleading Grand State Championship and the 2019 New England Co-ed Cheerleading  
6 Championship;

7 Representatives Noret, Serpa and Jackson

8 Soraia Hazard, Boys and Girls Club of Pawtucket; the honor of being named Boys and  
9 Girls Club of Pawtucket "2019 Youth of the Year" for demonstrating outstanding leadership,  
10 community service and academic excellence Lead-Success-Inspire;

11 Representative Diaz

12 Kiara Noke, Boys and Girls Club of Newport; the honor of being named Boys and Girls  
13 Club of Newport "2019 Youth of the Year" for demonstrating outstanding leadership, community  
14 service and academic excellence Lead-Success-Inspire;

15 Representative Diaz

16 Nasir Daleg, Boys and Girls Club of Northern Rhode Island (Cumberland, Lincoln,  
17 Woonsocket); the honor of being named Boys and Girls Club of Northern Rhode Island  
18 "2019 Youth of the Year" for demonstrating outstanding leadership, community service and academic  
19 excellence Lead-Success-Inspire;

20 Representative Diaz

21 David Capobianco, Boys and Girls Club of East Providence; the honor of being named  
22 Boys and Girls Club of East Providence "2019 Youth of the Year" for demonstrating outstanding  
23 leadership, community service and academic excellence Lead-Success-Inspire;

24 Representative Diaz

25 Olivia Martinelli, Boys and Girls Club of Warwick; the honor of being named Boys and  
26 Girls Club of Warwick "2019 Youth of the Year" for demonstrating outstanding leadership,  
27 community service and academic excellence Lead-Success-Inspire;

28 Representative Diaz

29 Lyamaris Gomes, Olga Maldonado, Jomarelis Ramos, Vandara Tun, Boys and Girls Club  
30 of Providence; your visit to the Rhode Island House of Representatives on March 26, 2019, and  
31 being named a candidate for the Boys and Girls Club of Providence Youth of the Year Lead-  
32 Success-Inspire;

33 Representative Diaz

34 Chef Lauren Lynch, Tom Bovis, Kleo's; your outstanding service and dedication to the

1 success of the Greek Independence Day Celebration on March 26, 2019;

2 Representative Casimiro

3 James Lathrop, Director of Finance, town of North Kingstown; the distinguished honor of  
4 being recognized as a top level executive by the Providence Business News C-Suite Awards in  
5 the Chief Operating Officer Category;

6 Representatives Craven and Casimiro

7 Brian Casey, Oak Hill Tavern; the distinguished honor of being named President of the  
8 National Restaurant Association;

9 Representatives Craven and Casimiro

10 Aaron Thomas, Head Coach, North Kingstown High School Basketball; the distinguished  
11 honor of being named Rhode Island Interscholastic League Basketball "2019 Coach of the Year";

12 Representatives Craven and Casimiro

13 Rich Pezzillo, Meagan Murray, T.J. Murray, Madeline Murray; the distinguished honor  
14 of celebrating March as Bleeding Disorders Awareness Month at the Rhode Island House of  
15 Representative and the commitment to assist, educate and advocate for the bleeding disorders  
16 community in Rhode Island;

17 Representatives Vella-Wilkinson and Blazejewski

18 Bill and Stacey Murphy; the joyous and momentous occasion of celebrating your 25<sup>th</sup>  
19 Anniversary on March 26, 2019;

20 Speaker Mattiello

21 Denise Ahern, Director of Early Childhood Education, Coventry; the prestigious honor of  
22 earning a 5 Star Rating from BrightStars the state's Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement  
23 System for your commitment to quality child care, early learning and school age programs for the  
24 children of the Town of Coventry;

25 Representatives Nardone, Roberts, Chippendale,  
26 Noret, Jackson and Serpa  
27

28 Christine Mandese, Principal, Washington Oak School, Coventry; the prestigious honor  
29 of earning a 5 Star Rating from BrightStars the state's Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement  
30 System for your commitment to quality child care, early learning and school age programs for the  
31 children of the Town of Coventry;

32 Representatives Nardone, Roberts, Chippendale,  
33 Noret, Jackson and Serpa

34 Joy Marshall, Itinerant Early Childhood Special Educator, Coventry; the prestigious  
35 honor of earning a 5 Star Rating from BrightStars the state's Tiered Quality Rating and  
36 Improvement System for your commitment to quality child care, early learning and school age

1 programs for the children of the Town of Coventry;

2 Representatives Nardone, Roberts, Chippendale,  
3 Noret, Jackson and Serpa

4 Jacquelyn Ingham, Early Childhood Educator, Coventry; the prestigious honor of earning  
5 a 5 Star Rating from BrightStars the state's Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement System for  
6 your commitment to quality child care, early learning and school age programs for the children of  
7 the Town of Coventry;

8 Representatives Nardone, Roberts, Chippendale,  
9 Noret, Jackson and Serpa

10 April Tandy, Early Childhood Educator, Coventry; the prestigious honor of earning a 5  
11 Star Rating from BrightStars the state's Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement System for your  
12 commitment to quality child care, early learning and school age programs for the children of the  
13 Town of Coventry;

14 Representatives Nardone, Roberts, Chippendale,  
15 Noret, Jackson and Serpa

16 Meagan Pless, Early Childhood Educator, Coventry; the prestigious honor of earning a 5  
17 Star Rating from BrightStars the state's Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement System for your  
18 commitment to quality child care, early learning and school age programs for the children of the  
19 Town of Coventry;

20 Representatives Nardone, Roberts, Chippendale,  
21 Noret, Jackson and Serpa

22 Marvin C. Ludwig; the distinguished honor of being named as the United Veterans  
23 Council of Woonsocket "2019 Veteran of the Year";

24 Representatives Phillips, Casey, and Morin

25 Paula M. Tucci; the distinguished honor of being named as the United Veterans Council  
26 of Woonsocket "2019 Patriot of the Year";

27 Representatives Phillips, Casey, and Morin

28 David Ghigliotty, Vice President, Rhode Island Shellfishermen's Association; celebrating  
29 Quahog Week in the state of Rhode Island from March 25-31, 2019, and your dedication to  
30 improve work conditions for shellfishermen, promote shellfish products and preservation of  
31 Narragansett Bay;

32 Representative Bennett

33 Raymond Mathieu; the joyous and momentous occasion of celebrating your 100<sup>th</sup>  
34 Birthday on March 15, 2019;

35 Representative Messier

36 New England Donor Services, Rhode Island Hospital, Rhode Island Organ Donor

1 Awareness Coalition, Rhode Island Division of Motor Vehicles; the designation of April as  
2 Organ Conation Month and your efforts to educate the public about the importance of registering  
3 as an organ and tissue donor;

4 Speaker Mattiello

5 Fire Chief Marcel B. Fontenault, Jr., Warwick Fire Department; your retirement after  
6 many years of dedicated and faithful service protecting the lives and properties for the people of  
7 the city of Warwick;

8 Representatives Vella-Wilkinson, McNamara, Bennett,  
9 Solomon, Jr., Shekarchi, Shanley, Jackson and Serpa

10 Thomas Paul Frezza, Jr., David Pascual Lombardo, Jr., Michael Christopher Moreau,  
11 Simon Daniel Rees, Dominic Andrew Vivari, Boy Scout Troop 1, Greenville; the distinction and  
12 honor of attaining the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America for your commitment  
13 and dedication to the values of Scouting, Citizenship, Character and Fitness;

14 Representative Hawkins

15 Kasim Yarn, Director, Rhode Island Office of Veterans Affairs; your unwavering  
16 commitment to The Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve, the lead Defense Department  
17 program promoting cooperation and understanding between civilian employers and the National  
18 Guard and Reserve employees;

19 Representative Ruggiero

20 Hanna MacDougall, Raoul "Mac" McCarthy (posthumously), Neil Swift, Ariel Teixeira,  
21 Daniel Thielman; the distinguished honor of being inducted into the "Athlete Category" of the  
22 2019 Warren Athletic Hall of Fame on April 6, 2019;

23 Representatives Knight and Speakman

24 Frank Alfano; the distinguished honor of being inducted into the "Coaches Category" of  
25 the 2019 Warren Athletic Hall of Fame on April 6, 2019;

26 Representatives Knight and Speakman

27 Pete Larrivee; the distinguished honor of being inducted into the "Contributor Category"  
28 of the 2019 Warren Athletic Hall of Fame on April 6, 2019;

29 Representatives Knight and Speakman

30 Hanna MacDougall, Heather Morreo, Brittany Terra, Chelsea Rainville, Lauren Patriarca,  
31 Emily Donahue, Lauren Maisano Waterman, Ariel Teixeira, Tara Turnbull Kelly, Emily  
32 Cambrola, Katie Stone, Victoria Jamiel, Alison Massed, Mariana McCormack, Mara Newland,  
33 Emma MacDougall, Rachel Lee Mascena, Shannon Raposa, Kayleigh Raposa (Honorary)  
34 (Posthumously), Alexandra Jamiel, Roy Borges (Head Coach), Kerri Ferreira-Giarrusso  
35 (Assistant Coach), Caitlin Sardinha Toevs (Assistant Coach), 2007 Mt. Hope High School Girls

1 Soccer Team; the honor of the 2007 Mt. Hope High School Girls Soccer State Championship  
2 Team being inducted into the 2019 Warren Athletic Hall of Fame on April 6, 2019;

3 Representatives Knight and Speakman

4 William Brown; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange  
5 "Citizen of the Year 2019";

6 Representative Chippendale

7 Diane Lebrun; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange  
8 "Teacher of the Year 2019";

9 Representative Chippendale

10 Robert F. Shields; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange  
11 "Firefighter of the Year 2019";

12 Representative Chippendale

13 Christopher A. Duguid; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange  
14 "Law Enforcement Officer of the Year 2019";

15 Representative Chippendale

16 Edward Suess; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange  
17 "Granger of the Year 2019";

18 Representative Chippendale

19 Katie E. Steere; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange  
20 "Agriculturalist of the Year 2019";

21 Representative Chippendale

22 Jerry Leveille, Ernie "Snooky" Ducharme, Paul Cosetta, Edward F. Bonczek, The Bel-  
23 Aires; the distinguished honor of being named as the Chepachet Grange "Group of the Year  
24 2019";

25 Representative Chippendale

26 Rita Downing, Robert Downing, the Downing Family; your 30 years of amazing  
27 leadership, compassion, tireless efforts and dedication to help grant wishes to children with life  
28 threatening illnesses with Rosemary's Wish Kids, Inc. and making a difference in the life of a sick  
29 child;

30 Representative Edwards

31 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

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

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

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