

No. R-93. House concurrent resolution congratulating former Mt. Anthony Union High School Patriots' basketball coach Dave Fredrickson on his induction into the Vermont Sports Hall of Fame.

(H.C.R.74)

Offered by: Representatives Morrissey of Bennington, Brownell of Pownal, Carroll of Bennington, Corcoran of Bennington, Durfee of Shaftsbury, and Whitman of Bennington

Offered by: Senators Champion and Sears

Whereas, after graduating from Springfield College, Dave Fredrickson accepted a position as varsity football and boys' basketball coach at Arlington High School, where the hardwood court team had recently concluded a dismal 2–18 season, and

Whereas, although Dave Fredrickson's gridiron leadership tenure lasted only three seasons, his boys' basketball squads won four consecutive championships before the larger Mt. Anthony Union High School (MAU) lured him southward, and

Whereas, over the course of 32 seasons at MAU, Dave Fredrickson's team-centered and defense-based strategy enabled the Patriots to tally an amazing eight straight end-of-season crowns, and

Whereas, since retiring in 1999, he has maintained a close association with MAU as a school board member and a regular attendee at the school's cultural performances and athletic events, and

Whereas, as a well-deserved capstone to his illustrious coaching career, the Vermont Sports Hall of Fame will induct Dave Fredrickson into its esteemed ranks at a ceremony on April 29, 2023, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates former Mt. Anthony Union High School Patriots' basketball coach Dave Fredrickson on his induction into the Vermont Sports Hall of Fame, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Dave Fredrickson.