

No. R-308. House concurrent resolution congratulating Carole Lacasse on her Vermont State government career.

(H.C.R.224)

Offered by: Representatives Donahue of Northfield and Lewis of Berlin

Offered by: Senators Cummings, Doyle, and Pollina

Whereas, individuals whose careers in Vermont State government combined with community service exemplify special dedication deserve recognition, and

Whereas, Carole Lacasse graduated from Spaulding High School and entered State government service in 1960, and

Whereas, she began her State employment as a receptionist with the Vermont Development Commission performing general secretarial duties and assisting tourists and visitors arriving at the Department, and

Whereas, Carole Lacasse rose through the ranks at the Vermont Industrial Park Authority and later moved to the Economic Development Department, and

Whereas, her subsequent State government role was serving as a private secretary and administrative assistant at the Agency of Development and Community Affairs, and

Whereas, Carole Lacasse's work in these various economic development positions was consistently praised and greatly appreciated, and

Whereas, in January 1985, her career took a new direction when she began working at the Vermont Lottery Commission, and

Whereas, during the next 29 years, her duties at the Commission were numerous, including clerical support, executive secretary, meeting coordinator, personnel administrator, telephone sales person, various liaison roles, and other duties as assigned, often above and beyond the call of duty, and

Whereas, aside from her employment duties, Carole Lacasse volunteers with several organizations, including the First Congregational Church of Berlin, the Berlin Volunteer Fire Department and Emergency Services, Central Vermont Crime Stoppers, and Project J.O.Y., which provides holiday happiness and gifts to patients at Berlin Health and Rehabilitation, and

Whereas, Carole Lacasse is married to Andy Lacasse, and they are the parents of a son, Ian, and

Whereas, after over a half century working for the State of Vermont, Carol Lacasse is concluding her illustrious public service career, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Carole Lacasse on her Vermont State government career, and extends best wishes for the future, and be it further

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