

No. R-412. House concurrent resolution congratulating the Rutland High School cheerleading team on its third-place finish at the New England Interscholastic Spirit Championship.

(H.C.R.302)

Offered by: Representatives Fagan of Rutland City, Burditt of West Rutland, Cupoli of Rutland City, Gage of Rutland City, Gallivan of Chittenden, Potter of Clarendon, Russell of Rutland City, and Terenzini of Rutland Town

Whereas, cheerleading is a fun activity that rouses the support of the home team at many athletic events, and

Whereas, aside from encouraging players and fans and providing great entertainment, cheerleaders are involved in their own competitions, and

Whereas, a much-anticipated event for cheerleading teams is the New England Interscholastic Spirit Championship that in 2014 was held in Lawrence, Massachusetts, and

Whereas, no Vermont cheerleading team had ever placed in the top five in its respective division, and

Whereas, the Rutland High School Raiders, who compete in Division II, based on their school's population, broke through this barrier, winning a third-place finish with the team's outstanding performance, and

Whereas, the delighted and proud Rutland Raider cheerleaders were Taylor Chuderski, Carly Coombs, Dominique Gatto, Colleen Levins, Catherine DiPalma, Gabriella Elnicki, Kennedy Pagano, Madison Couture, Julia Miglorie, Ashley Moore, Margarete Reilly, McKenzie Swane, Heather Bell, Jordan Brothers, Sara Clark, Schylar Corsones-Brown, Mya Cyr, Alexandra Forte, Shelby Senecal, Rachelle Towle, Mariah Griffin, Emily Keeler, Taylor Bates, Hannah Coburn, Leah Davis, Jasmin Gomez, Ashley Keefe, and Emily Prescott, and Head Coach Cara Gauvin with the support of assistants Amanda Pagano and Sabrina Fineburg made certain the team performed at its best, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the Rutland High School cheerleading team on its third-place finish at the New England Interscholastic Spirit Championship, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Rutland High School.