

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2018-4680, by Representative Kraft

1 WHEREAS, Philip Meng, an esteemed resident of Vancouver and a  
2 student at Union High School has achieved national recognition for  
3 exemplary volunteer service; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Meng, by receiving the 2018 Prudential Spirit of  
5 Community Award has displayed exceptional devotion to serving his  
6 community; and

7 WHEREAS, This prestigious award, presented by Prudential  
8 Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary  
9 School Principals, honors young volunteers across America who have  
10 demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to serving their  
11 communities; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Meng earned this award by giving generously of his  
13 time and energy to educating students about geography through his  
14 nonprofit, which has expanded both throughout the United States and  
15 more than 15 nations around the world; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Meng has partnered with institutions and governments  
17 to disseminate and implement his programs, which have included  
18 lectures, seminars, workshops, conferences, and a world geography  
19 competition for students; and

20 WHEREAS, The success of the State of Washington, strength of our  
21 communities, and overall vitality of American society, depend, in  
22 great measure, upon the dedication of young people like Mr. Meng who  
23 use their considerable talents and resources to serve others; and

1       WHEREAS, Knowledge and understanding of others in our own  
2 communities and around the world is paramount to a peaceful and  
3 prosperous future;

4       NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington State House  
5 of Representatives hereby congratulate and honor Mr. Meng as a  
6 recipient of a Prudential Spirit of Community Award for his  
7 outstanding record of volunteer service and extend best wishes for  
8 his continued success; and

9       BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
10 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of  
11 Representatives to Philip Meng.

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13               I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of  
14 Resolution 4680 adopted by the House of Representatives  
15                               February 26, 2018  
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Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk