

No. R-373. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2018 Fair Haven Union High School Slaters Division II championship boys' basketball team.

(H.C.R.301)

Offered by: Representatives Canfield of Fair Haven, Helm of Fair Haven, and Norris of Shoreham

Offered by: Senators Collamore, Flory, and Soucy

Whereas, it was hardly surprising that the top-seeded Fair Haven Union High School Slaters earned a berth in the 2018 Division II boys' basketball championship game, played at the Barre Auditorium, where their formidable opponent was the third-seeded and first-championship-game-appearing Milton High School Yellowjackets, and

Whereas, despite the Slaters' advancement on the scoreboard, the Yellowjackets reminded the crowd that Milton remained in contention, and

Whereas, comfortably in the lead 22–10 at the first quarter's conclusion and commanding a 36–21 halftime advantage, the Slaters' final leap to victory proved daunting as in the fourth quarter, the Yellowjackets tied the contest at 47–all before Fair Haven emerged with a narrow but cherished 59–57 victory and the 2018 Division II crown, and

Whereas, the winning Slaters were Zack Murray, Drew Eddy, Austin Ellis, Brandon Parker, Nathan Bathalon, Cameron Coloutti, Parker Morse, Austin Beayon, Andrew Ferrara, Doug Hendee, Mike Bizon, Aubrey Ramey, Joey Gannon, Kohlby Murray, and Zack Ellis, and

Whereas, Head Coach Bob Prenevost, assistant coaches Greg Cummings, Luke Vadnais, and DJ Perry, and team manager A.J. Munger each contributed to Fair Haven's championship season, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2018 Fair Haven Union High School Slaters Division II championship boys' basketball team, and be it further

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