

No. R-241. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2013 U-32 Raiders Division II boys' championship track and field team.

(H.C.R.176)

Offered by: Representatives Klein of East Montpelier, Ancel of Calais, Lewis of Berlin, Peltz of Woodbury, and Smith of Morristown

Offered by: Senators Cummings, Doyle, and Pollina

Whereas, the young men who represent U-32 High School in track and field events had never brought home a State championship title, and

Whereas, the 2013 student athletes on the U-32 team were well trained and dedicated to performing at the highest possible level of athletic achievement, and

Whereas, the State track and field meet at which the Division II championship was determined took place at the Heitkamp Track and Athletic Field at Fair Haven Union High School, and

Whereas, U-32 team members excelled in many events, including first-place results in the 800-meter run and the javelin, and they achieved an historic milestone earning their first Division II track and field title, topping second-place Harwood Union High School 111–103, and

Whereas, the boys' team joined its U-32 girls' counterpart as 2013 State track and field champions, and

Whereas, these great young athletes included Sam Merriman, Olan Fillbach, Reed Patterson, Thomas David-Bashore, Seth Hepburn, Andrew Danyew, Ben Merrylees, John Rahill, David Koonz, Eli Pandolfo, Adam Gowans, and Will Johnson, and

Whereas, the coaching staff of this admirable U-32 track and field team consisted of Mark Chaplin, George Olson, and Andrew Tripp, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2013 U-32 Raiders Division II boys' championship track and field team, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to U-32 High School.