

No. R-322. Senate concurrent resolution congratulating Marilyn Fuller on her selection as the 2013 Cohase Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year.

(S.C.R.48)

By Senators Kitchel and Benning,

By Representative Conquest of Newbury,

Whereas, on January 13, 2014, the Cohase Chamber of Commerce presented its 2013 Citizen of the Year award to Marilyn Fuller of Newbury, and

Whereas, Marilyn Fuller has devoted 64 years of service as a 4-H leader in Vermont, and more recently in New Hampshire, helping “youth and adults to learn, grow, and work together,” and

Whereas, through the Grafton County Coop Extension’s 4-H program, Marilyn Fuller was responsible for volunteer recruitment, the teen milk booth at the New Hampshire Fair, the annual golf tournament, and turkey supper fundraisers, and she served as a 4-H teen chaperone, and

Whereas, from 1974 through 2004, Marilyn Fuller coordinated 4-H activities for Vermont and the New England Center at the Eastern States Exposition in West Springfield, Massachusetts, and

Whereas, Marilyn Fuller earned her master gardener certification and volunteers a minimum of 40 hours annually at the Bath School’s 4th grade plant and science class, and

Whereas, her cake baking skills are a local legend, and she has created delicious confectionary delights for many community occasions, including the coordination of extraordinary quilt cakes, and

Whereas, Marilyn Fuller’s civic roles have consisted of service as a Newbury poll worker, membership on the town’s 200th and 250th anniversary committees, and as president of the Newbury Center Town House Cemetery Association, and

Whereas, knitting booties and bonnets for intensive care unit newborns at the Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center and making party favors for RSVP volunteer organization’s holiday events enable her to help others, and

Whereas, Marilyn Fuller’s philosophy of life is encapsulated in a saying of the British statesman Winston Churchill, “We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give,” and

Whereas, this generous community leader and volunteer is an ideal choice for the 2013 Cohase Citizen of the Year, *now therefore be it*

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Marilyn Fuller on her selection as the 2013 Cohase Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year, *and be it further*

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Marilyn Fuller in Newbury.