

**No. R-414. House concurrent resolution recognizing all Vermont firefighters, police officers, and emergency medical service (EMS) personnel for the professional level of service they provide to their communities.**

(H.C.R.325)

Offered by: Representatives Turner of Milton, Savage of Swanton, and Shaw of Pittsford

Whereas, all volunteer firefighters, paid-on-call firefighters, full-time firefighters, part-time and full-time police officers, and EMS personnel perform their duties in a professional manner, and

Whereas, firefighters, police officers, and EMS personnel are outstanding public servants who are committed to protecting life, property, and the environment in their communities and throughout the State of Vermont, and

Whereas, successful recruiting, retaining, and protecting of all firefighters, police officers, and EMS personnel are essential to the long-term well-being of the communities they serve, and

Whereas, Vermonters respect and deeply appreciate the efforts and sacrifices of firefighters, police officers, EMS personnel, and their families, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly recognizes the outstanding work of firefighters, police officers, and EMS personnel who work to protect life, property, and the environment throughout the State of Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Vermont State Firefighters Association, to the Vermont League of Cities and Towns, to the Professional Firefighters of Vermont, to the Chiefs of Police Association of Vermont, and to the Vermont Ambulance Association.