

**No. R-42. House concurrent resolution honoring Winifred Vogt on her receipt of a 2012 Successful Aging Award from Senior Solutions**

(H.C.R.18)

Offered by: Representatives Deen of Westminster and Mrowicki of Putney

Offered by: Senators Galbraith and White

Whereas, Senior Solutions serves as the Area Agency on Aging for Windham and Windsor counties, and

Whereas, each year, Senior Solutions honors 15 persons age 80 or over as recipients of the organization's Successful Aging Award, and

Whereas, Successful Aging Award winners are individuals who have demonstrated through deeds and leadership the fostering of strong community, and

Whereas, Winifred (Winnie) Vogt of Dummerston, one of the 2012 winners of the Successful Aging Award, epitomizes the type of active person for whom this honor was established, and

Whereas, Ruth Barton who nominated Winnie Vogt for this award described the honoree as "one of the most active persons, of any age, that I know," and

Whereas, Winnie Vogt's busy life spans the generations, as she is a Sunday school teacher and youth group advisor, and

Whereas, the members of her church know of her excellent service as a deacon, and

Whereas, she regularly participates in the local apple pie festival, and

Whereas, as a member of the Lydia Taft Pratt Library, Winnie Vogt regularly selects books that she brings to senior lunches for attendees to borrow, and

Whereas, Winnie Vogt actively participates in the Retired Teachers' Association, and

Whereas, her active life is not limited to memberships in organizations as she has demonstrated enormous self-initiative and concern for others, and

Whereas, these numerous volunteer roles include visiting the sick and bereaved as well as organizing receptions for funerals and volunteering to organize persons to provide meals to the seriously ill and to transport individuals in need of medical treatment, and

Whereas, Winnie Vogt is a person who is always willing and ready to help her friends and neighbors in need of assistance, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors Winifred Vogt on her receipt of a 2012 Successful Aging Award from Senior Solutions, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Winifred Vogt in Dummerston.