No. R-338. House concurrent resolution honoring Steve Huestis for his outstanding civic service in the town of Bridport.

(H.C.R.256)

Offered by: Representative Smith of New Haven

Offered by: Senators Ayer and Bray

Whereas, the citizens of Bridport have long recognized the constructive role that Steve Huestis has played in the smooth functioning of town government, and

Whereas, he has resided in Bridport throughout his life and has a deep appreciation for his community's well-being, and

Whereas, his friendly personality, combined with an energetic application of his skills, have benefited the town of Bridport in many ways, and

Whereas, Bridport entrusted Steve Huestis with the important and sensitive duties of town service officer, which required him to serve his community when emergencies arose, and

Whereas, Steve Huestis became acquainted with Bridport's property tax structure during his years sitting on the board of adjustment, and

Whereas, when serving as a justice of the peace, Steve Huestis assisted in the administration of elections and assisted with other community duties, and

Whereas, his knowledge of Bridport made Steve Huestis an ideal town representative to the Addison County Solid Waste District, and

Whereas, Steve Huestis is best known for his dedicated 21-year tenure on the Bridport Selectboard, and

Whereas, his colleagues had faith in his leadership skills, and he chaired the selectboard for many years, and

Whereas, Steve Huestis was a selectboard member willing to tackle any problem that might arise and always eager to lead a project that would benefit the town of Bridport, and

Whereas, although no longer serving in town government, Steve Huestis has remained active in Bridport as a member of the St. Bernadette's Parish Council, enjoying the time he devotes to his grandchildren, and visiting the golf links on a regular basis, and

Whereas, in recognition of his long and faithful community service and leadership, the town of Bridport has dedicated its 2015 annual report in his honor, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors Steve Huestis for his outstanding civic service in the town of Bridport, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Steve Huestis.