

No. R-406. House concurrent resolution honoring the Vermont Network Against Domestic and Sexual Violence on its 30th anniversary.

(H.C.R.317)

Offered by: Representative Grad of Moretown

Whereas, the Vermont Network Against Domestic and Sexual Violence (VT Network) was established in 1986, and

Whereas, it is composed of 14 member programs serving and supporting more than 8,500 people in an effort to halt domestic violence, sexual violence, dating violence, and stalking throughout Vermont, and

Whereas, the VT Network is the statewide leader seeking the end of these unacceptable forms of personal behavior, and it works in partnership with other organizations, and

Whereas, it has been instrumental in the passage of both State and federal laws that benefit victims of domestic violence, sexual violence, dating violence, and stalking, and

Whereas, the VT Network strives for “a world free of oppression where actions, beliefs, and systems support all people to thrive,” now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors and celebrates the 30th anniversary of the founding of the Vermont Network Against Domestic and Sexual Violence in recognition of the organization’s exceptional commitment to community and individual safety in Vermont and advocacy work on behalf of these causes, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Vermont Network Against Domestic and Sexual Violence.