# **CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

# **ADDENDUM**

### TO THE

# SENATE CALENDAR

Text of Senate
Concurrent Resolutions

of

Thursday, January 15, 2015

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

#### **Concurrent Resolutions for Notice under Joint Rule 16**

The following joint concurrent resolutions have been introduced for approval by the Senate and House and will be adopted by the Senate unless a Senator requests floor consideration before the end of the session of the next legislative day. Requests for floor consideration should be communicated to the Secretary's Office.

#### S.C.R. 1.

By Senator Doyle,

**S.C.R. 1.** Senate concurrent resolution congratulating the 2014 Mad River Valley 10-and 11-year-old Little League All-Star Vermont championship baseball team.

Whereas, baseball Little Leagues establish All-Star teams for different age groups, and these squads compete in postseason competition, and

Whereas, in 2014, the Mad River Valley Little League assembled a talented team of ten and eleven year olds whose well-practiced baseball skills challenged their peers from other Vermont communities, and

Whereas, Mad River defeated All-Star teams from Essex and Colchester to earn a berth in the championship round against Brattleboro, and

Whereas, because Mad River was the sole remaining undefeated team, Brattleboro was required to tally two consecutive victories in order to win the State championship, and

Whereas, although Mad River lost the first championship game, based on a walk-off hit, it bounced back to defeat Brattleboro 12–2 in the second game and was declared the 2014 Vermont Little League 10- and 11-year-old championship baseball team, the first State championship in 54 years of Mad River Little League competition, and

Whereas, the winning players included Cary Bond-Bardes, Angelo Cimminello, Clyden Heyward, Caleb Kingsbury, Gus Mosle, Anthony Pierce, Skylar Platt, Charlie Reilly, Vincent Spina, and Ethan Vierling, and Team Manager John Zimmerman and coaches Doug Mosle and Logan Cooke each contributed to the team's success, *now therefore be it* 

### Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2014 Mad River Valley 10- and 11-year-old Little League All-Star Vermont championship baseball team, *and be it further* 

**Resolved:** That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Logan Cooke.

#### S.C.R. 2.

By Senator Doyle,

**S.C.R. 2.** Senate concurrent resolution congratulating the Canadian Club Inc. of Barre on its 75th anniversary.

Whereas, in the 1930s, the French Canadian community in Barre saw the need for a social organization to promote and retain the French Canadian culture in Barre, and

*Whereas*, to meet this objective, in 1939 a group of individuals gathered in Barre and created the French Canadian Club, and

Whereas, the Club began with 21 French Canadians, and its programs and administrative affairs were conducted in French, and

*Whereas*, the first officers were President Lucien Beaudoin, Vice President Raoul Maurice, Secretary Wilfred Langevin, and Auditor Antonio Pinard, and they had the assistance of Reverends Cray and Maloney, and

Whereas, some members sought to affiliate with other French Canadian clubs, but those wishing to remain independent prevailed, and

Whereas, in November 1940, the Club moved to larger space in the Blanchard Block that could accommodate social functions for 150 people, and

Whereas, on May 10, 1954, the Club was incorporated, and in 1955 it moved to temporary headquarters in the Paramount Theater Building, and

Whereas, in 1957 the now Canadian Club purchased the former Vermont Veterans Cooperative Workshop on East Montpelier Road and refurbished the facility as its permanent home, and

Whereas, the Club eventually opened its membership rolls to the broader public, beyond French speakers, although this was not an easy transition, and

Whereas, although a fire destroyed the building in January 1968, in just nine months a new structure was dedicated, and

Whereas, today the Canadian Club offers academic scholarships, social events, and a host of enjoyable activities, and

Whereas, the organization now has a membership of 1,200 and commemorated its 75th anniversary on September 27, 2014, now therefore be it

### Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the Canadian Club on its 75th anniversary, and be it further

**Resolved:** That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Canadian Club in Barre.