

State of Vermont House of Representatives



Montpelier, Vermont

Concurrent House Resolution

H.C.R. 5

SPECIAL SESSION

House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2018 St. Johnsbury Academy Hilltoppers girls' track and field team on winning its fourth consecutive Division I championship

Offered by: Representatives Beck of St. Johnsbury, Willhoit of St. Johnsbury, Feltus of Lyndon, Lawrence of Lyndon, Martel of Waterford, Quimby of Concord, and Toll of Danville

Offered by: Senators Kitchel and Benning

Whereas, for St. Johnsbury Academy, the Hilltoppers girls' outdoor track and field season has been a welcomed sign of spring, as the team captured the Division I crown in 2015, 2016, and 2017, and

Whereas, at the 2018 State track and field meet, conducted at Burlington High School, the St. Johnsbury Academy girls won top Division I honors in the pole vault, the 100- and 300-meter hurdles, the high jump, and the long jump, as well as second place in the discus, javelin, long jump, pole vault, and triple jump. That combination enabled the Hilltoppers to outdistance South Burlington 134–90 and win the Division I championship, and

Whereas, the victorious Hilltoppers were Grace Cooke, Annie Cunningham, Francis Holderby, Bridget Webber, Hannah Wescott, Katherine Cowan, Callahan Beck, Neva Bostic, Danielle Chesborough, Rebecca Green, Riley Higgs, Emily Langham, Zekiah Lewis, Jen Rotti, Lia Rotti, Rory Young, Alexis Collins, Sadie Chapman, Hannah Davis, Nora Heffernan, Fiona Kupper, Josie Moulton, Sydney Strohm, Mikaela Strzempko, Kayla Talbot, Isabella Bostic, Molly Brennan, Aine Fannon, Charley Flanders, Morgan Pettee, and Hannah Roberts, and

Whereas, the outstanding coaches were Chip Langmaid, Stephen Badgley, Andra Hibbert, Dale Urie, Brandon Legendre, and Michael Zahner, and all appreciated the support of team managers Abisola Akinsete and Kaelynn Silver, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2018 St. Johnsbury Academy Hilltoppers girls' track and field team on winning its fourth consecutive Division I championship, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to St. Johnsbury Academy.