No. R-324. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2017 Harwood Union High School Highlanders Division II championship boys' golf team.

(H.C.R.259)

Offered by: Representatives Stevens of Waterbury, Grad of Moretown, Read of Fayston, and Wood of Waterbury

Whereas, 2017 marked an historic year for boys' high school golf competition in Vermont as the championship tournament was switched from the spring to the fall in hopes of better ground conditions, and

Whereas, this past fall's tournament also proved historic for the Harwood Union High School Highlanders boys' golf team, and

Whereas, having not won a State title in five years, the Highlanders were especially well prepared to tee off at the Green Mountain National Golf Course in Killington against their Division II competitors, and

Whereas, the Highlanders not only outplayed second-place Lake Region 334–376, they also achieved a better score than either the Division I winner, Essex High School (337), or the Division III champion, Stowe High School, (356), and

Whereas, the Highlander golfers whose success on the links earned them the 2017 Division II championship were Aidan Melville, Ivan Morse, Ian Groom, Nate Honeywell, and Brian Gilhuly, and

Whereas, Head Coach Brian McCarthy and Assistant Coach Erik Bertalan instructed the team on the game's finer points, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2017 Harwood Union High School Highlanders Division II championship boys' golf team, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Harwood Union High School.