

No. R-43. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2018 Bellows Falls Union High School Terriers Division I championship field hockey team.

(H.C.R.31)

Offered by: Representatives Partridge of Windham, Hashim of Dummerston, Mrowicki of Putney, and Trieber of Rockingham

Whereas, the Bellows Falls Union High School Terriers had dominated Division II field hockey competition in recent years, clinching the divisional championship for 2015–2017, and consequently, in 2018, the team was reassigned to the supposedly more challenging Division I, and

Whereas, despite now competing in a division populated with larger high schools, the Terriers remained undefeated and earned a berth in the Division I championship game, played in Burlington against the defending Division I champions, the South Burlington Wolves, and

Whereas, the Terriers exhibited a defensive prowess that held the Wolves scoreless, defeating South Burlington 2–0, capturing the 2018 Division I crown, and earning the team’s 57th consecutive victory, and

Whereas, the thrilled Terriers, who were welcomed home with a jubilant fire truck parade, were Abbe Cravinho, Meagan Kelly, Ashlynn Boucher, Megan Banik, Molly Kelly, Sophie Hyslop, Michelle Marchica, Taylor Goodell, Emily Harris, Madison Streeter, Halle Dickerson, Abby Dearborn, Maya Waryas, Grace Wilkinson, Alice Salter-Roy, Madi Joy, Brooke Bennett, Arianna Wunderle, Brigid Hodsdon, and Emma Lober, and

Whereas, Head Coach Bethany Coursen and Assistant Coach Melanie LaRoss were ideal instructors and strategists for the team, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2018 Bellows Falls Union High School Terriers Division I championship field hockey team, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Bellows Falls Union High School.