R-131 2019

No. R-131. House concurrent resolution congratulating Bellows Falls Union High School Head Field Hockey Coach Bethany Coursen on being named the MAX Field Hockey 2018 Vermont State Coach of the Year and the New England Region Coach of the Year.

(H.C.R.105)

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

Whereas, the Bellows Falls Union High School Terriers completed a fantastic 2018 field hockey season, winning a fourth consecutive divisional title and compiling an undefeated 14–0 record, and

Whereas, the Terriers also ended the 2018 season with their 57th consecutive victory, making Bellow Falls the most successful field hockey team ever in Vermont interscholastic competition, and

Whereas, MAX Field Hockey bestows special state and regional recognition on the sports' best high school coaches, and

Whereas, in 2018, there was little doubt that the Vermonter most deserving of this sports award was Bellows Falls Union High School Head Field Hockey Coach Bethany Coursen, and

Whereas, the presenters of this award were so impressed with Bethany Coursen's record of coaching achievements, both in 2018 and in prior years, that she was honored as both the Vermont State and New England Region 2018 MAX Field Hockey Coach of the Year, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Bellows Falls Union High School Head Field Hockey Coach Bethany Coursen on being named the MAX Field Hockey 2018 Vermont State Coach of the Year and the New England Region Coach of the Year, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Bethany Coursen and to Bellow Falls Union High School.