

**No. R-336. House concurrent resolution congratulating Ian Carpenter of Fairfax on being named the 2019 Special Olympics Vermont Unified Athlete of the Year.**

(H.C.R.279)

Offered by: Representatives Murphy of Fairfax, Dickinson of St. Albans Town, and Toof of St. Albans Town

Offered by: Senators Brock and Parent

Whereas, BFA-St. Albans senior Ian Carpenter plays six school-based Special Olympics Unified sports, is involved in the Special Olympics Unified Fitness program at the University of Vermont, and is an enthusiastic volunteer and participant at the Special Olympics Vermont Cool Schools Penguin Plunge, and

Whereas, he is also a proud member of the BFA-St. Albans boys' cross- country, Nordic skiing, and track teams, and

Whereas, Ian Carpenter has been involved in several high school musicals and is an award-winning Vermont History Day participant, and

Whereas, in recognition of his athletic achievements, Ian Carpenter was named the 2019 Special Olympics Vermont Unified Athlete of the Year, and

Whereas, Ian Carpenter is a role model for other Special Olympians, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Ian Carpenter being named the 2019 Special Olympics Vermont Unified Athlete of the Year, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Ian Carpenter in Fairfax.