

No. R-20. House concurrent resolution recognizing the important work of MENTOR Vermont and designating January 21, 2021 as Mentoring Day in Vermont.

(H.C.R.12)

Offered by: Representative Webb of Shelburne

Whereas, mentoring relationships, focused on the volunteer involvement of caring adult mentors, offer youths valuable support services, and

Whereas, during the COVID-19 pandemic, mentors have provided youths with a caring and consistent friend, whom they can depend on despite the public health restrictions and associated uncertainty, and

Whereas, mentored youths exhibit improved resiliency and better relationships with peers, family, schools, and community, and

Whereas, partnerships between businesses, schools, and youth service organizations are an essential mentoring component, and

Whereas, January is National Mentoring Month, and since 2013, MENTOR Vermont has facilitated mentoring throughout the State, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly recognizes the important work of MENTOR Vermont and designates January 21, 2021 as Mentoring Day in Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to MENTOR Vermont.