No. R-257. Senate concurrent resolution congratulating the Vermont Spring Open Studio Weekend on its 30th anniversary.

(S.C.R.20)

By Senators Cummings, Clarkson, Benning, Brock, Campion, Chittenden, Collamore, Hardy, Hooker, Lyons, McCormack, Nitka, Pollina, Ram Hinsdale, and White,

Whereas, for three decades, the Vermont Crafts Council has organized the Vermont Spring Open Studio Weekend, an experiential event that welcomes visitors into artists' studios to watch these craftspeople at work, and

Whereas, this celebratory weekend also features special events and exhibits held at small galleries and art centers across Vermont, and

Whereas, the diversity of the authentic and high-quality art forms, either in their formation process or in their final form, is intriguing and includes braided rugs, ceramics, stained glass, furniture, oil and watercolor paintings ranging from abstracts to landscapes, photography, pottery, and welded sculpture, and

Whereas, the Vermont Spring Open Studio Weekend, occurring in 2022 on May 28th and 29th, is a great opportunity for the public to gain a greater appreciation for our State's artistic creators and their wares, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the Vermont Spring Open Studio Weekend on its 30th anniversary, *and be it further*

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