CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

ADDENDUM

TO THE

HOUSE CALENDAR

Text of House Concurrent Resolutions

of

April 21, 2022
Concurrent Resolutions for Adoption Under Joint Rule 16

The following concurrent resolutions will be adopted automatically unless a Representative or Senator requests floor consideration before the end of Friday’s legislative session. Requests for floor consideration must be communicated to the House Clerk’s office or the Senate Secretary’s office.

Resolutions

H.C.R. 144.

House concurrent resolution congratulating Blake Hill Preserves’ owners Vicki Allard and Joe Hanglin on being named the U.S. Small Business Administration’s 2022 Vermont Small Business Persons of the Year

Offered by: Representatives Bartholomew of Hartland, Burrows of West Windsor, Goldman of Rockingham, and Partridge of Windham

Offered by: Senators Balint, Clarkson, McCormack, Nitka, and White

Whereas, Vicki Allard spent her English summers foraging for fruits to make jam, and Joe Hanglin grew up in Gibraltar with a love of cooking, and in 2005, they purchased an old sheep barn in Grafton as a part-time home, while continuing their jobs in New York City, and

Whereas, their jam production started as a home-based hobby, until a friend snuck a jar into the Grafton Village Store, a first order followed, and the couple established Blake Hill Preserves, and

Whereas, as product demand grew, they transitioned to a full-time operation, creating a 2,000 square foot kitchen in Grafton in 2012, which, in 2016, was replaced with a 6,000 square foot kitchen (now being expanded to 12,000 square feet), and a specialty preserves shop in Windsor that sells its products both locally and nationally, and

Whereas, the business has won numerous food industry awards, and

Whereas, Joe Hanglin is a 2018 graduate of the Small Business Administration (SBA) Vermont 2018 Emerging Leaders class, and the couple developed a successful strategic growth plan, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Blake Hill Preserves’ owners Vicki Allard and Joe Hanglin on being named the U.S. Small Business Administration’s 2022 Vermont Small Business Persons of the Year, and be it further
Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Vicki Allard and Joe Hanglin.

H.C.R. 145.

House concurrent resolution recognizing June 27, 2022 as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Day in Vermont


Whereas, in 1980, the American Psychiatric Association created the term Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) to describe the severe post-combat stress that Vietnam veterans were experiencing, and

Whereas, the use of the term “disorder” attaches a terrible and unjustified stigma on the men and women who served our nation in combat and demeans first responders, abuse and crime victims, and survivors of life-threatening accidents and natural disasters, and

Whereas, the American Psychiatric Association’s *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM), Fifth Edition, distinguishes between common post-traumatic stress and the more debilitating and longer-lasting form of stress, and

Whereas, an alternative description for the more debilitating form of post-traumatic stress is Post-Traumatic Stress Injury (PTSI), a term which preserves the distinction between the short- and long-term types of post-traumatic stress and removes the unjustified stigma associated with the term disorder, and
Whereas, in 2011, then Army Vice Chief of Staff, General Peter Chiarelli, requested that the American Psychiatric Association adopt the PTSI terminology, but the term PTSD still remains in the DSM, and

Whereas, the Honor for ALL organization, with the support of the National Guard Association of the United States, the Adjutant Generals Association of the United States, veterans’ groups, many state legislatures, and both houses of Congress, has recognized the importance of substituting PTSI for PTSD as the DSM’s description of the type of brain injury that combat veterans and others have sustained, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly recognizes June 27, 2022 as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Day in Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Honor for ALL organization in Royal Oak, Michigan.

H.C.R. 146.

House concurrent resolution congratulating Megan Nick on winning the bronze medal in women’s individual aerials at the 2022 Winter Olympics

Offered by: Representatives Brumsted of Shelburne and Webb of Shelburne

Whereas, Megan Nick began her athletic pursuits as a gymnast at Champlain Valley Union High School, her alma mater, and

Whereas, her gymnastics background served as an ideal foundation for enrolling in an aerials skiing camp, fulfilling her high school graduation challenge requirement, and

Whereas, before the camp’s week concluded, Megan discovered a passion for this acrobatic style of skiing, and

Whereas, Megan Nick dedicated many years to mastering this unique winter sport, earning a spot on the 2022 U.S. Winter Olympics Team, and

Whereas, skiing in a chilling minus 10 degrees, Megan Nick surprised many observers, executing a back full-double full, earning the bronze medal, and becoming the first native Vermonter, and the first American woman since 1998, to clinch a Winter Olympics medal in women’s individual aerials, now therefore be it
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Megan Nick on winning the bronze medal in women’s individual aerials at the 2022 Winter Olympics, and be it further

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

H.C.R. 147.

House concurrent resolution congratulating Ryan Cochran-Siegle of Starksboro on winning the silver medal in the super-G alpine skiing race at the 2022 Winter Olympics

Offered by: Representatives Brown of Richmond, Austin of Colchester, Brumsted of Shelburne, Cordes of Lincoln, and Webb of Shelburne

Whereas, in 1961 when Mickey and Ginny Cochran started the family-friendly Cochran Ski Area in Richmond, they unknowingly launched a Vermont dynasty of Olympic skiers, including 1972 women’s slalom gold medalist Barbara Ann Cochran, and

Whereas, Ryan Cochran-Siegle, Barbara Ann’s son, won America’s first 2022 Winter Olympics alpine medal, clinching the silver in the men’s super-G race, finishing the course in 1 minute, 19.98 seconds, a mere four-hundredths of a second behind the Austrian gold medalist, and

Whereas, Ryan Cochran-Siegle’s triumph capped a year of extraordinary determination and perseverance, as he rebounded from a broken neck injury resulting from a skiing accident following a World Cup super-G victory in Bormio, Italy, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Ryan Cochran-Siegle of Starksboro on winning the silver medal in the super-G alpine skiing race at the 2022 Winter Olympics, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Ryan Cochran-Siegle.

H.C.R. 148.

House concurrent resolution recognizing April 2022 as World Landscape Architecture Month and designating April 26, 2022 as Fredrick Law Olmsted Day in Vermont
Offered by: Representative Yantachka of Charlotte

**Whereas**, landscape architecture encompasses the design, management, planning, and stewardship of the natural and built environment, and

**Whereas**, licensed professional landscape architects enhance public health, safety, and welfare, crafting accessible spaces that encourage active lifestyles, incorporating conservation techniques that promote safe activities, and planning spaces with economic, social, and environmental benefits, and

**Whereas**, the resilient and sustainable designs of landscape architects address climate change, reduce water demand and energy consumption, conserve or restore natural resources and wildlife habitat, and improve air quality, and

**Whereas**, through their designs, landscape architects are committed to addressing racial and social justice for all, including communities of color, low-income Americans, and Tribal and Indigenous groups, and

**Whereas**, Frederick Law Olmsted, who is considered the father of landscape architecture in the United States and who designed many prominent North American urban landscapes, provided guidance to Dr. William and Lila Vanderbilt Webb for their magnificent design of Shelburne Farms, which, for over a century, has shone as a gem of a planned outdoor space, and April 26, 2022 will mark the bicentennial of his birth, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly recognizes April 2022 as World Landscape Architecture Month and designates April 26, 2022 as Fredrick Law Olmsted Day in Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Vermont Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects in Burlington.

**H.C.R. 149.**

House concurrent resolution honoring former Sunderland Town Clerk and Treasurer Rose Keough

Offered by: Representatives Durfee of Shaftsbury, Bongartz of Manchester, and James of Manchester

Offered by: Senators Campion and Sears

**Whereas**, in Rose Keough’s family, women serving in the public sector in the town of Sunderland began with her grandmother, Harriet Reed Stone, who
held many local offices, including that of town clerk, treasurer, and state legislator, and

Whereas, in 1991, Rose Keough extended her family’s role in Sunderland’s civic life when she was elected town clerk and treasurer, and

Whereas, she exercised her official duties with the utmost dedication, earning the respect of Sunderland’s electorate, and

Whereas, in 2011, in the aftermath of the massive damage resulting from Tropical Storm Irene, Rose Keough’s steady hand was critical in Sunderland’s rebound from this terrible disaster, and

Whereas, recognizing that Sunderland needed a new administrative home, Rose Keough was a successful advocate for the construction of the community’s beautiful new Town Hall, and

Whereas, after 31 years of outstanding service as Sunderland Town Clerk and Treasurer, and after capably training her successor, Rose Keough has recently concluded her municipal government career, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors former Sunderland Town Clerk and Treasurer Rose Keough, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Rose Keough, and to the office of the Sunderland Town Clerk.