

No. R-229. Senate concurrent resolution honoring Waterville Town Clerk and Treasurer Nancy LaRose for her exemplary municipal public service.

(S.C.R.10)

By Senator Westman,

By Representative Boyden of Cambridge,

Whereas, Nancy LaRose far exceeded the expectations that the voters had envisioned when they initially elected her to the combined roles of Waterville Town Clerk and Treasurer on March 4, 1997, and

Whereas, she maintained an ideal working relationship with the Waterville Selectboard, serving as a benevolent advisor who ensured that meetings remained on topic, and she contributed essential guidance for budgetary adoption and matters pertaining to grants, and

Whereas, more than once, weather emergencies brought FEMA to Waterville, and, although its administrative demands became increasingly bothersome, especially for the declining level of recovery support, Nancy LaRose always acted as an effective and professional liaison with the agency, and

Whereas, as town clerk, Nancy LaRose took great pride in her detailed Election Day preparations and oversight, always guaranteeing that the voting process proceeded smoothly and the count was undeniably accurate, and

Whereas, as town treasurer, she made certain that Waterville's financial books were always in order and all bills were paid when due, and

Whereas, Nancy LaRose implemented the historic relocation of the Town Clerk's office from a home-based setting to the more professional space at the former Waterville Central School, and she played a major role in the Town Hall's restoration and other special projects of importance, and

Whereas, after 27 years as the superb Waterville Town Clerk and Treasurer, Nancy LaRose has decided not to stand for reelection in 2024, and her legacy will be immeasurable, *now therefore be it*

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors Waterville Town Clerk and Treasurer Nancy LaRose for her exemplary municipal public service, *and be it further*

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Nancy LaRose and to the Waterville Selectboard.