State of Vermont House of Representatives



Montpelier, Vermont

Concurrent House Resolution

H.C.R. 5

House concurrent resolution congratulating Ariana Wunderle of Bartonsville on establishing a Guinness World Record for the longest distance walking a tightrope while wearing high heels

Offered by: Representatives Bos-Lun of Westminster and Goldman of Rockingham

Offered by: Senators Harrison and Hashim

<u>Whereas</u>, as the daughter of circus parents, and starting at two years of age, Ariana Wunderle appeared in the Cirkus Smirkus ring as a clown, an acrobat, and ultimately a tightrope walker, a circus craft she commenced learning at seven years of age after seeing older children performing on the high wire, and

<u>Whereas</u>, bravery, concentration, and fortitude are attributes an accomplished tightrope walker must possess, and Adrian Wunderle exuded confidence throughout her Circus Smirkus career, and

<u>Whereas</u>, as a Bellows Union High School senior, she conducted a fundraiser for Circus Smirkus, a nonprofit organization, and, as part of the project, she challenged herself to establish a new Guinness World Record for walking the longest distance on a tight rope while wearing high heels, and

<u>Whereas</u>, she completed a 639-foot, seven-inch distance, far surpassing the prior 50-foot record, and

Whereas, Ariana Wunderle, now a first-year student at Ithaca College, anticipates new challenges in the classroom and as a circus performer, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Ariana Wunderle of Bartonsville on establishing a Guinness World Record for the longest distance walking a tightrope while wearing high heels, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Ariana Wunderle and to Circus Smirkus.