

No. R-186. House concurrent resolution congratulating Dr. Kimberly Silloway on her induction into the Vermont Principals' Association Hall of Fame.

(H.C.R.134)

Offered by: Representatives Crawford of Burke, Lawrence of Lyndon, Reis of St. Johnsbury and South of St. Johnsbury

Offered by: Senators Choate and Kitchel

Whereas, Dr. Kimberly Silloway is a prominent and highly respected oral surgeon in Virginia, and

Whereas, her stellar surgical reputation is reflected in Dr. Kim Silloway's many dental leadership responsibilities and her recent nomination as a Fellow of the Virginia Dental Association, and

Whereas, before ever examining her first patient, Kim Silloway was one of Vermont's most lauded young female athletes, and

Whereas, as a student at St. Johnsbury Academy (SJA), she established women's athletics records and standards of excellence that remain the benchmark a generation later, and

Whereas, as a sophomore in 1980, Kim Silloway was the girls' cross-country state champion, and she was a top competitor in track and field events, and

Whereas, however, Kim Silloway's true calling was to play basketball, and during her three-year varsity Hilltopper hoop career, she scored 1523 points, still an SJA girls' record today, and

Whereas, all of the Vermont girl basketball players who have surpassed this career total scored their points after three-point arc play was introduced, and

Whereas, in the 1982 state championship game against Vergennes Union High School, Kim Silloway scored 35 points, assuring that the championship pennant would be flown in the SJA gym, and

Whereas, at the conclusion of her senior year, Kim Silloway was invited to play in the U.S. Olympic Festival at the Olympic training complex in Colorado Springs and earned a bronze medal, placing her on the all-time U.S.A. basketball women's roster, and

Whereas, as an undergraduate at the University of Virginia, she delighted her new fans with great basketball-playing performances, earned athletic accolades, and graduated as a scholar athlete, and

Whereas, although her Vermont athletic heroics are now in the past, they are hardly forgotten, and Dr. Kim Silloway will be heading north this May to be inducted into the Vermont Principals' Association Hall of Fame, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Dr. Kimberly Silloway on her induction into the Vermont Principals' Association Hall of Fame, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Dr. Kim Silloway.