

**No. R-281. House concurrent resolution honoring Zoe Hardy for her outstanding leadership at Age Well Vermont.**

(H.C.R.230)

Offered by: Representatives Myers of Essex, Bancroft of Westford, Giambatista of Essex, Houghton of Essex, and Redmond of Essex

Whereas, Age Well in Essex is part of the State's designated Area Agencies on Aging for northwestern Vermont, and

Whereas, beginning in 1991, Zoe Hardy served as Age Well's assistant nutrition director, and from 1998 to 2016 as its nutrition director, and in these roles, she forged partnerships with technical centers and businesses, and

Whereas, her effective stewardship of Age Well's Meals on Wheels program included significant increases in the number of meals served, the establishment of two specialized meal sites to serve refugees, and the development of a large contingent of valued volunteers, and

Whereas, Zoe Hardy oversaw the Age Well Wellness program, featuring both the Strong Living and Tai chi for balance classes, and

Whereas, in 2020, Zoe Hardy is concluding her successful 29-year career at Age Well, and her expertise will be missed, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors Zoe Hardy for her outstanding leadership at Age Well Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Zoe Hardy and to Age Well Vermont.