

State of Vermont
House of Representatives



Montpelier, Vermont

Concurrent House Resolution

H.C.R. 270

House concurrent resolution congratulating the Mount Ascutney Hospital and Health Center on winning the 2011 Foster G. McGaw Prize for Excellence in Community Service

Offered by: Representatives Sweaney of Windsor, Bartholomew of Hartland, Clarkson of Woodstock, Fagan of Rutland City, Shand of Weathersfield and Zagar of Barnard

Offered by: Senators Campbell, McCormack and Nitka

Whereas, in 1995, the Mount Ascutney Hospital and Health Center (MAHHC) began to offer community outreach programs, and

Whereas, these outpatient services have evolved to include a community health infrastructure that builds “collaborative relationships . . . to effectively tackle the problems of fragmented care,” and

Whereas, among these community initiatives is a substance abuse prevention program directed at middle school and high school students, and

Whereas, the Windsor Community Health Clinic is a free clinic for uninsured and underinsured individuals and it assists them in applying for insurance and obtaining medication vouchers, and

Whereas, the Windsor Connection Resource Center coordinates the provision of many health and human resource services that were previously scattered at different facilities, and

Whereas, Historic Homes of Runnemedede is a combined residential care and independent living campus that is creatively recycling the buildings at an historic property, and

Whereas, for one-quarter of a century, the Health Research & Education Trust, an affiliate of the American Hospital Association, and the Baxter International Foundation have annually awarded the \$100,000.00 Foster G. McGaw Prize to “healthcare organizations that demonstrate commitment to community service through a range of programs,” and this award is among the most prestigious honors that can be bestowed on a health care organization in recognition of its community service, and

Whereas, the MAHHC is the proud 2011 recipient of this special recognition, and it was cited as “a coalition-building catalyst within the community, bringing together local health and human service providers, educators, law enforcement officials, clergy, parents and consumers to collectively identify, plan and provide community health programs,” and

Whereas, winning the 2011 Foster G. McGaw Prize is a great achievement of which the MAHHC can be extremely proud, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the Mount Ascutney Hospital and Health Center on winning the 2011 Foster G. McGaw Prize for Excellence in Community Service, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Kevin W. Donovan, Chief Executive Officer of Mt. Ascutney Hospital and Health Center in Windsor.

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Shapleigh Smith, Jr.
Speaker of the House

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Philip B. Scott
President of the Senate

Attested to:

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Donald G. Milne
Clerk, House of Representatives

