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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
146th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20

HONORING THE YOUNG MEN FROM ACROSS THE STATE OF DELAWARE PARTICIPATING IN THE 2011 SESSION OF DELAWARE'S BOYS' STATE.

1 WHEREAS, during the week of June 14, 2011, young men from across the State of Delaware, students at the  
2 State's public and private high schools, have come to Legislative Hall in Dover to participate in the 2011 session of  
3 Delaware Boys' State; and

4 WHEREAS, during their stay here, these young men will receive valuable hands-on training and experience in the  
5 legislative process and in the ways of State government, which will serve them in good stead in their later lives; and

6 WHEREAS, the experience they receive during Boys' State will prove especially useful to those among their  
7 number who go on to assume leadership roles in government or to seek elective office in the future; and

8 WHEREAS, the participants in Delaware Boys' State, during their session, elected from among their ranks a  
9 Governor, a Lieutenant Governor, a State Treasurer, a State Auditor, a State Insurance Commissioner and members of both  
10 Houses of the General Assembly; and

11 WHEREAS, the young men participating in the 2011 session of Boys' State include:

12 Daniel Taylor Mason of Alexis I. duPont High School

13 William Roger Pegram, Jr. of Alexis I. duPont High School

14 Mark William Stephenson of Alexis I. duPont High School

15 John Tylor Dodd of Appoquinimink High School

16 Michael Aleixo of Archmere Academy

17 James Riley Shaud of Archmere Academy

18 Nicholas Peter Gustaitis of B. Reed Henderson High School - West Chester, Pennsylvania

19 Trevor Scot Bentley of Brandywine High School

20 Jeffrey Chen Xu of Cab Calloway School of the Arts

21 Justin T. Dolbey of Caesar Rodney High School

22 Joseph Daniel Earhart of Caesar Rodney High School  
23 Jarred Richard Reid-Dixon of Caesar Rodney High School  
24 Brendan William Horne of Caesar Rodney High School  
25 Ryan Wilson Mock of Cape Henlopen High School  
26 Jesse J. Barnett of Cape Henlopen High School  
27 Joseph Patrick Erony of Caravel Academy  
28 Daniel Joseph Goodman of Concord High School  
29 John Peter Kersch of Concord High School  
30 Sean Wallace Pié of Concord High School  
31 William Tanzilli of Conrad Schools of Science  
32 Benjamin Alden Bugher of Delaware Military Academy  
33 Tanner Donovan Claar of Delaware Military Academy  
34 Nicholas Wayne Fearn of Delaware Military Academy  
35 Seth Madison Kurz of Delaware Military Academy  
36 Tanner Jacob Kurz of Delaware Military Academy  
37 Edward Joseph Orzechowski of Delaware Military Academy  
38 Robert John Orzechowski of Delaware Military Academy  
39 Dakota Lance Noon Sams of Delaware Military Academy  
40 Stuart Edward Wingfield Siberski of Delaware Military Academy  
41 Dillon Kraus Koval of Delmar High School  
42 Carl Joseph VanGessel of Delmar High School  
43 Matthew David Waldman of Delmar High School  
44 Kyle Tucker Kokjohn of Delmarva Christian High School  
45 Brendan O'Malley Smith of Delmarva Christian High School  
46 Matthew Joseph Prisco of Dover High School  
47 Will S. Vickers of Dover High School  
48 Jesse Lee Clark of Dover High School  
49 Anthony Keen Cuesta of Dover High School  
50 Francis Charles Wildermuth of Dover High School

51 Matthew Brian Selba of Indian River High School  
52 Jung Sik Son of Indian River High School  
53 Max Richard Wilkinson of Indian River High School  
54 Allan Austin Gardner-Bowler of Innovating Learning Academy  
55 Alide Camara of Lake Forest High School  
56 James Dillon Hanes of Lake Forest High School  
57 Nicholas John Oakley of Lake Forest High School  
58 Cory Scott Cutsail of Laurel High School  
59 Walison Tomaz Da Costa Silva of McKean High School  
60 Matthew Rudolph Furman of Middletown High School  
61 Evan Payne Kutcher of Middletown High School  
62 Michael Rocco Thompson of Middletown High School  
63 Mario Luis Recupido of Middletown High School  
64 Forrest Benjamin Wall of Middletown High School  
65 Andrew Leonard Martinez of Mount Pleasant High School  
66 Tyler Matthew Hansen of Newark High School  
67 Jaron Jae Shim of Newark High School  
68 Alexander Patrick Waad of Newark High School  
69 Shawn Patrick McKay of Polytech High School  
70 Nicolas Thomas Slater of Polytech High School  
71 Joshua Matthew Tworig of Polytech High School  
72 Joshua Garett Blair Walter of Polytech High School  
73 Tyler Craig Lee of Polytech High School  
74 Rahul Nilesh Vazir of Polytech High School  
75 Oliver Michael Bahnsen of Salesianum School  
76 Patrick Charles Beane of Salesianum School  
77 John Michael Bowden of Salesianum School  
78 Ryan Gregory Meyer of Salesianum School  
79 Marc Christian Zimmerman of Salesianum School

80 Charles John Frick, III of Sanford School  
81 Ocean Gabriel Gibson of Sanford School  
82 Joshua Michael Katz of Sanford School  
83 Andrew B. Mackler of Seaford High School  
84 Cody Steven Rementer of Seaford High School  
85 Thomas Christopher Clark of Smyrna High School  
86 James Walter Newlin of Smyrna High School  
87 Carlos Alexis Velez of Smyrna High School  
88 Audric Jonathan Alfonte-Baal of St. Georges Technical High School  
89 Nathaniel Ralph Cope of St. Mark's High School  
90 Christopher Clifton Dempsey of St. Mark's High School  
91 Brendan Butler Aloysius McDermott of St. Mark's High School  
92 Davis Christian Lindsey Braun of St. Thomas More Preparatory School  
93 Patrick S. Lynn, III of St. Thomas More Preparatory School  
94 Gregory Patrick Manhard of St. Thomas More Preparatory School  
95 Joshua Dean Baker of Sussex Central High School  
96 Justin William Pepper of Sussex Central High School  
97 Lucas Allen Turpin of Sussex Central High School  
98 Ryan Kelley Fitzgerald of Sussex Technical High School  
99 Joseph Mahoney Powers, Jr. of Sussex Technical High School  
100 Logan Andrew Wharton of Sussex Technical High School  
101 Jonathan Howard Schafer of Sussex Technical High School  
102 Justin Travis Stevenson of Sussex Technical High School  
103 Christopher Joseph Klemens of The Tatnall School  
104 Steven Marion Sklodowski of The Tatnall School  
105 Brian Patrick Henry of William Penn High School  
106 Michael Hiuhu Matimu of William Penn High School  
107 Lexington Yoshiaki Studevart of William Penn High School  
108 Alexander Francis Nardone of William Penn High School

109 Benjamin Magdy Attia of Charter School of Wilmington  
110 Bryan Abraham Burcat of Charter School of Wilmington  
111 Alan Yucheng Wang of Charter School of Wilmington  
112 William Henry Vance, II of Woodbridge High School

113 WHEREAS, these young men have learned during their week-long session many of the details of the process  
114 whereby a bill becomes a law, and have debated and discussed many issues both timely and of great importance to the State  
115 of Delaware; and

116 WHEREAS, throughout the week the Boys' State delegates have been deeply involved in a study of such subjects  
117 as the conduct of elections, the operation of the legislative caucus and committee systems, majority and minority positions  
118 and many other aspects of the political process, all of which give them valuable knowledge of the manner in which the  
119 American system of representative democracy operates; and

120 WHEREAS, the American Legion Department of Delaware has once again sponsored this important educational  
121 program, as they have done for many years, thereby displaying a deep dedication to the American system of government  
122 and to the essential task of ensuring that our youth understand and appreciate that system.

123 NOW, THEREFORE:

124 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the 146<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of the State of Delaware, the  
125 Senate concurring therein, that the members do hereby commend each of the participants in the 2011 Boys' State Session  
126 for his hard work and extend to each sincere congratulations on a very successful session at Legislative Hall.

127 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate do hereby extend  
128 to each participant sincere best wishes for success in all his future endeavors, together with the hope that at least a few of  
129 these fine young Delawareans may one day find themselves again in the House or Senate chamber as duly elected  
130 representatives of their fellow citizens.

131 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate do hereby  
132 commend and thank the American Legion Department of Delaware for their sponsorship of this outstanding program.

133 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that prepared copies of this Resolution be presented to each of the delegates of the  
134 2011 Session of the Boys' State, and to the sponsor of the event, the American Legion Department of Delaware.

#### SYNOPSIS

This Resolution recognizes and honors the young men of Delaware participating in the 2011 session of Delaware's Boys' State.