



SPONSOR: Sen. Simpson on behalf of all Senators & Rep. D. Short,
on behalf of all Representatives

DELAWARE STATE SENATE
146th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45

HONORING THE YOUNG WOMEN FROM ACROSS THE STATE OF DELAWARE PARTICIPATING IN THE 2012
SESSION OF DELAWARE GIRLS STATE.

1 WHEREAS, during the week of June 18, 2012, young women 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 2012 session of
3 Delaware Girls State; and

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

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

9 WHEREAS, the participants in Delaware Girls State have, during their session, elected from among their ranks a
10 Governor, a Lieutenant Governor, a State Treasurer, a State Auditor, a State Insurance Commissioner and members of both
11 houses of the General Assembly; and

12 WHEREAS, the young women participating in the 2012 session of Girls State include:

13 Bonnie Carrow of A.I. DuPont

14 Keegan Gill of Appoquinimink

15 Adrienne Johnson of Appoquinimink

16 Melisa Soysal of Cab Calloway

17 Jennifer LaMonaca of Cab Calloway

18 Molly Bado of Cab Calloway

19 Amanda DiMaio of Cab Calloway

20 Caitlin Morgan of Cab Calloway

21 Meredith McGinnis of Caesar Rodney

22 Jessica Ringer of Caesar Rodney

23 Alexandra Mueller of Cape Henlopen

24	Katelyn Gebbia of Cape Henlopen
25	Jessica Guerra of Charter School
26	Vaishnavi Gadicharla of Charter School
27	Cassie Lukasiewicz of Charter School
28	Nagwa Nukuna of Charter School
29	Emily Spor of Concord
30	Caityln Naughton of Delaware Military
31	Rachel DeFroda of Delaware Military
32	Courtney Gross of Delaware Military
33	Megan Gherke of Delmarva Christian
34	Jennifer Baker of Delmarva Christian
35	Lael Houston of Dover
36	Kaitlyn Duong of Dover
37	Anisa Adkins of Dover
38	Alexandra Manolakos of Indian River
39	Jodie Powell of Indian River
40	Emily Price of Middletown
41	Madison Tolley of Middletown
42	Hahyoung Chang of Newark
43	Brooke DeVore of PolyTech
44	Christina Gottfried of PolyTech
45	Kristina Biddle of St. Mark's
46	Anne Reidinger of St. Mark's
47	Samantha Bennett of St. Mark's
48	Shaina Sutton of St. Mark's
49	Samantha Robeson of St. Thomas More Academy
50	Mary Mecca of Sanford
51	Megan Kozar of Sanford
52	Alyssa Lattomus of Smyrna
53	Taylor DuVall of Sussex Central
54	Krystal Pearce of Sussex Central
55	Bethany Killmon of Sussex Tech

Hannah Powers of Sussex Tech

Rebecca Salter of Tatnall

Jessica McDowell of Tatnall

Jhane Campbell of William Penn

Melissa States of Woodbridge

Mia Vera of Woodbridge

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

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

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

NOW, THEREFORE:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the 146th General Assembly of the State of Delaware, the House of Representatives thereof concurring therein, that its members do hereby commend each of the participants in the 2012 Girls State session for their hard work and extend to each sincere congratulations on a very successful session at Legislative Hall.

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

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

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be presented to each of the delegates of the 2012 Session of Girls State, and to the sponsor of the event, the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion.

SYNOPSIS

This resolution recognizes and honors the young women of Delaware participating in the 2012 session of Delaware Girls State.

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