



SPONSOR: Rep. Schwartzkopf & Rep. Longhurst & Rep. Viola &  
Rep. D. Short & Rep. Hudson, on behalf of all  
Representatives; Sen. Blevins & Sen. McBride & Sen.  
Henry & Sen. Simpson & Sen. Lavelle, on behalf of all  
Senators

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
147th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28

HONORING THE YOUNG MEN FROM ACROSS THE STATE OF DELAWARE PARTICIPATING IN THE 2013  
SESSION OF DELAWARE'S BOYS STATE.

1 WHEREAS, during the week of June 10, 2013, 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 2013 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 2013 session of Boys State include:

12 Trevor Moorhouse Edwards of Alexis I. DuPont High School

13 Saivamshi Pasikanti of Alexis I. DuPont High School

14 Jacob William McConomy of Appoquinimink High School

15 Jonathan Wesley McConomy of Appoquinimink High School JROTC

16 Patrick Michael Spillan of Archmere

17 Gregory Thomas Dexter of Cab Calloway

18 William Francis Esterling III of Cab Calloway

19 Jarrett Michael Ksiazek of Cab Calloway

20 Patrick Jacob Gallucci of Caesar Rodney

21 Nicholas Todd Gruwell of Caesar Rodney  
22 Connor James Castellon of Caesar Rodney  
23 Eriq Raymond Gloria of Cape Henlopen  
24 John William Dean of Cape Henlopen AFJROTC  
25 Austin Jon Kitchen of Cape Henlopen AFJROTC  
26 Abhishek Devaguptapu Rao of Caravel Academy  
27 Alexander James Rigby of Charter School of Wilmington  
28 Brandord Lincoln Smith of Charter School of Wilmington  
29 Yeshwant Reddy Chillakuru of Charter School of Wilmington  
30 Kyle John Plusch of Charter School of Wilmington  
31 Joel Zechariah Kupis of Christiana High School  
32 Gopal Krishen Chhibba of Christiana JROTC  
33 Joseph Parkes of Christiana High School  
34 Graham Ethan Haines of Concord High School  
35 Ian Michael Powers of Concord High School  
36 Philippe Francois of Delcastle Tech High School  
37 William Thomas Bounds of Delmar High School  
38 Sean Patrick Hayden of Delmar High School  
39 Andrew Harrison Keck of Delmarva Christian High School  
40 Hamilton Matthew Schlabach of Delmarva Christian High School  
41 Mac Roderick Jay Ferguson of Dickenson High School  
42 Reed Thomas Bidgood of DMA  
43 Dillon Patrick Conway of DMA  
44 Joseph Levoy Holden of DMA  
45 Mark Alexander LaRue of DMA  
46 Patrick Rigor of DMA  
47 Anthony Joseph Testa of DMA  
48 Nicholas Alwyn Lawson of DMA  
49 Ifunanya Nnanna Nwogbagaa of Dover High School  
50 Trevor Elijah Thomas Dover High School

51	Cody Lee Jackson of Dover JROTC
52	Jamir Rashaad Sinex of Dover JROTC
53	Gregory Kotliar Szumel of Friends High School
54	Zachary William Allen of Henry C. Conrad School of Science
55	Joost Michael Elling of Indian River High School
56	Benjamin Alan Gonski of Indian River High School
57	Samuel Joseph Izzo of Indian River High School
58	Elbridge Bennett Murray V of Indian River High School
59	Jake Thomas Troublefield of Indian River High School
60	Robert Charles Gutridge of Indian River JROTC
61	Matthew Charles McGuigan of Indian River High School
62	Zane Michael Collison of Lake Forest
63	Elijah Seth Hall of Lake Forest
64	Jake Rin Furbush of Laurel High School
65	Benjamin David Miller of Laurel High School
66	Christian Michael Ridenour of Laurel High School
67	Carter Elliot Thompson of Middletown High School
68	Matthew Lorelli of Middletown High School
69	Diego Aponte of Middletown AFJROTC
70	Dustin John Snyder of Middletown AFJROTC
71	Richard Joseph Licata III of Middletown High School
72	Alan Daniel Conner of Mount Pleasant JROTC
73	Dominic Alexander DelRosso of Munich International School
74	Evan Matthew Cox of Newark High School
75	Timothy Montney of Newark High School
76	Andrew Sebastian Milham of Newark High School
77	Corey Chappel of Polytech High School
78	Jeremy Parker Grunden of Polytech High School
79	Connor Andrew Ott of Polytech High School
80	Thomas Raymond Hundertpfund of Polytech AFJROTC

81 Stephen Tyler Waddell of Polytech AFJROTC  
82 William Charles Bech of Salesianum High School  
83 Daniel Michael Turk of Salesianum High School  
84 Paul Forese Gay of Sanford High School  
85 Bryan Paul McLellan of Sanford High School  
86 Nathaniel Patrick Reynolds of Sanford High School  
87 Christopher William Beams of Smyrna High School  
88 Jacob Donald Septer of Smyrna High School  
89 Jordan Alan Yeomans of Smyrna High School  
90 Jess Michael Carey of Smyrna JROTC  
91 John Joseph Harkins of St. Elizabeth High School  
92 Bryan Charles Porter of St. George's Tech  
93 Jonathan Gregory Kelly of St. Thomas More High School  
94 Tyler William Sastre of St. Thomas More High School  
95 Hunter Christian Sharp of St. Thomas More High School  
96 Jonathan Larry Hall of Sussex Central High School  
97 Otoniel Perez of Sussex Central High School  
98 Isaiah Immanuel Silva of Sussex Central High School  
99 Ardany de Jesus Coloma-Ventura of Sussex Central JROTC  
100 Alexander Cody Dunkleberger of Sussex Central JROTC  
101 Ethan Lloyd Caldwell of Sussex Tech High School  
102 Robert Mark Christensen, Jr. of Sussex Tech High School  
103 Colin Lewis Talley of Sussex Tech High School  
104 Colin Brady Hearn of Sussex Tech AJROTC  
105 Ryan James Wolfe of Tatnall High School  
106 George Edward Sample III of William Penn AFJROTC  
107 Jordan Salvador Vargas of William Penn AFJROTC  
108 Robert William Gooden of Wilmington Christian High School  
109 William Lutz Davis of Woodbridge High School  
110 Robert Donald Rogers of Worcester Prep High School

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

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

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

121 NOW, THEREFORE:

122 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the 147<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of the State of Delaware, the  
123 Senate concurring therein, that the members do hereby commend each of the participants in the 2013 Boys State Session for  
124 his hard work and extend to each sincere congratulations on a very successful session at Legislative Hall.

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

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

131 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be presented to each of the delegates of the 2013  
132 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 participating in the 2013 session of Delaware's Boys State.