

ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 254

Introduced by Linehan, 39.

WHEREAS, Douglas County West (DC West) Middle School, located in Waterloo, has a noteworthy Robotics Team; and

WHEREAS, the DC West Robotics Team is led by Dan Maline, a 7th grade math, pre-algebra, and algebra teacher; and

WHEREAS, the DC West Robotics Team 5233D (Falcon Mobil) finished their season at the US Open Championship as US Open Champions; and

WHEREAS, the DC West Robotics Team 5233D (Falcon Mobil) received the first official national championship for the DC West Robotics Team; and

WHEREAS, the DC West Robotics Team 8675A (Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0) finished the season as State Runner-Up in skills and in the team portion of the Heartland Regionals; and

WHEREAS, the DC West Robotics Team 8675A (Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0) also competed at the US Open Championships and the VEX World Championships; and

WHEREAS, although the DC West Robotics Team 8675A (Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0) was eliminated in the quarterfinals of the World Championships, Team 8675A was chosen as one of five robotics teams in the USA to be invited to China during the summer of 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature recognizes the academic, athletic, and artistic achievements of the youth of our state.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature extends its congratulations to Dan Maline and the DC West Robotics Team.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to DC West Superintendent, Dr. Melissa Poloncic, DC West Middle School Principal, Jeremy Travis, and DC West

Robotics Team Coach, Dan Maline.