HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 250

Commending Andolyn Medina.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 7, 2014 Agreed to by the Senate, February 13, 2014

WHEREAS, Andolyn Medina, a freshman at Hollins University, was selected as Miss Virginia Collegiate America 2014; and

WHEREAS, the Miss Collegiate America Pageant competition provides personal and professional opportunities for collegiate women; and

WHEREAS, Andolyn Medina, who is currently majoring in biology and music on a full four-year tuition academic scholarship, plans to have a career in medicine and music therapy; and

WHEREAS, a talented vocalist and pianist, Andolyn Medina is the recipient of the McCullough Voice Scholarship and was selected for the Hollins University Concert Choir and Chamber Orchestra; and

WHEREAS, Andolyn Medina was also selected for the Caribbean internship program and the Jamaica Cultural Immersion Program; and

WHEREAS, during her reign as Miss Virginia Collegiate America 2014, Andolyn Medina will promote her personal platform of P. E. A. C. E. (Peer Empowerment and Community Engagement) and the national platform of Crown C. A. R. E. S. (Creating a Respectful Environment in School); and

WHEREAS, Andolyn Medina will encourage her peers to take part in community affairs and teach tolerance to youth of all ages in order to have a safe and bully-free environment; and

WHEREAS, Andolyn Medina will travel to Orlando, Florida, July 2 through 6, 2014, to represent the Commonwealth at the Miss Collegiate America 2014 Pageant; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Andolyn Medina on her selection as Miss Virginia Collegiate America 2014; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Andolyn Medina as an expression of the General Assembly's congratulations and admiration for her community service.