2014 SESSION

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 132

Commending Fauquier Habitat for Humanity.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 28, 2014

WHEREAS, Fauquier Habitat for Humanity, a charitable organization that builds and repairs homes for members of the community, won the Fauquier County Chamber of Commerce Not-for-Profit Business of the Year award in November 2013; and

WHEREAS, during its annual meeting and awards gala, the Fauquier Chamber of Commerce recognized businesses and individuals who excel in their professions and surpass expectations within both the Chamber and the business community; and

WHEREAS, working together with community churches, businesses, volunteers, and families, Fauquier Habitat for Humanity seeks to eliminate the affliction of substandard poverty housing; and

WHEREAS, since its opening in 1991, Fauquier Habitat for Humanity has built 44 homes, has rehabilitated several others, and is currently working on the construction of a seven-duplex subdivision in Warrenton; and

WHEREAS, with more than 1,500 families living at or below the poverty line in the county, Fauquier Habitat for Humanity focuses on developing affordable housing opportunities and providing a more stable environment in which families can thrive; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That Fauquier Habitat for Humanity hereby be commended on receiving the Fauquier County Chamber of Commerce Not-for-Profit Business of the Year award; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Brenda Drerenberger, executive director of Fauquier Habitat for Humanity, as an expression of the House of Delegates' respect and admiration for over 20 years of dedicated service to the citizens of Fauquier County.