## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 338**

Commending Alice Lynch.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 3, 2017

WHEREAS, Alice Lynch ably served the Commonwealth as the executive director of the Virginia Capitol Foundation for more than 12 years; and

WHEREAS, Alice Lynch holds degrees from the University of Richmond and Virginia Commonwealth University and previously served as executive director of alumni affairs for the University of Richmond; and

WHEREAS, with her strong background in nonprofit organization management, Alice Lynch was hired in 2004 to establish the Virginia Capitol Foundation to support the Virginia Capitol as it underwent a historic restoration and expansion; and

WHEREAS, as executive director of the Virginia Capitol Foundation, Alice Lynch worked with a diverse board of trustees, members of the historic preservation community, curators, and other state officials to protect and interpret the Virginia Capitol, Capitol Square, and the Governor's Mansion; and

WHEREAS, Alice Lynch organized fundraising efforts and developed educational programs for the Virginia Capitol Foundation, and her leadership and advocacy ensured that the Commonwealth's valuable historic resources were properly preserved for future generations; and

WHEREAS, in 2016, Alice Lynch returned to academia, becoming the executive director of alumni relations at Randolph-Macon College in Ashland; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That Alice Lynch hereby be commended for her service to the Commonwealth as executive director of the Virginia Capitol Foundation; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Alice Lynch as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for her work to preserve and enhance the historic Virginia Capitol.