

## 2018 SESSION

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### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 32

*Commending Mark Lee Fischer.*

Agreed to by the Senate, February 15, 2018

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer has dedicated 12 years of his life to being a significant and positive influence on young people as the head football coach for Louisa County High School; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer has recorded 96 wins, including five Jefferson District titles, as head coach for the Louisa County High School football team; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer led the Louisa County High School Lions to their two most successful seasons in history, finishing as the Virginia High School League Group (VHSL) AA Region II champions and state runners-up in 2006 and the state runners-up for VHSL Class 4 in 2017; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer was named Virginia Coach of the Year by the Associated Press in 2006 and was voted as Jefferson District Coach of the Year six times by his peers in 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2010, and 2017; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer's belief in hard work, discipline, and dedication is the foundation of the positive qualities he instilled in his players and fellow members of the Louisa County community; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer has spent more than 20 years as an educator and coach for Richmond Public Schools, Horry County Schools, and Louisa County Public Schools; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer and his wife, Pam, have faithfully spent countless hours educating and mentoring students at Louisa County High School and Louisa County Middle School; and

WHEREAS, Mark Lee Fischer has created a legacy of compassion and toughness in his two children, Mackenzie and Troy; and

WHEREAS, throughout every challenge, both on and off the field, Mark Lee Fischer has remained steadfast in his decision to "Run through it;" now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate of Virginia, That Mark Lee Fischer hereby be commended on the occasion of his retirement as head coach of the Louisa County High School football team; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Mark Lee Fischer as an expression of the Senate of Virginia's admiration for his work to support and inspire young people in Louisa County and the Commonwealth.

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