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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 524

Offered February 15, 2021

2 3 Commending the Radford High School boys' swim and dive team. 4

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5 6 WHEREAS, the Radford High School boys' swim and dive team won the Virginia High School 7 League Class 2 state championship at SwimRVA in Richmond on February 20, 2020; and

WHEREAS, with a score of 277, the Radford High School Bobcats edged out the Virginia High 8 9 School Bearcats by one point to win the team competition, bringing home the program's first state 10 championship title; and

WHEREAS, the Radford Bobcats took the lead on the last event of the day, the 400-yard freestyle 11 12 relay, claiming victory in dramatic and memorable fashion; and

13 WHEREAS, the Radford Bobcats were well represented at the state meet with 10 of its members 14 qualifying for competition and received a major lift from Nate Cosmato's first-place finish in the 15 one-meter dive event; and

WHEREAS, the accomplishments of the Radford Bobcats are the result of the hard work and 16 determination of the student-athletes, the guidance and encouragement of their coaches and teachers, and 17 the unwavering support of the entire Radford High School community; now, therefore, be it 18

19 RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That the Radford High School boys' swim and dive team 20 hereby be commended for winning the Virginia High School League Class 2 state championship; and, 21 be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution 22

23 for presentation to Heather Rowland, head coach of the Radford High School boys' swim and dive team, as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for the team's achievement and best wishes for 24

25 the future.