

2021 SPECIAL SESSION II

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 750

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Commending Hugh Brown.

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WHEREAS, Hugh Brown, cofounder, board chairman, and head football coach of Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic High School in Fredericksburg, was inducted into the Sports Faith Hall of Fame on May 22, 2021; and

WHEREAS, created by Sports Faith International in 2008, the Sports Faith Hall of Fame celebrates the efforts and achievements of noteworthy athletes, coaches, and teams who have demonstrated a commitment to their community and their faith; and

WHEREAS, in his first three seasons as coach of the Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic High School football team, Hugh Brown notched an impressive 23-4 record while leading his teams to championships in both the Eastern Christian Conference and the Virginia Independent Schools Athletic Association; and

WHEREAS, through his steadfast devotion to his students, Hugh Brown has helped many young people achieve success both in and out of the classroom, including numerous student-athletes who secured college scholarships while under his tutelage; and

WHEREAS, as board chairman at Saint Michael the Archangel, Hugh Brown has led the school through myriad challenges and recently supported its multi-million dollar capital campaign, "Hope for the Future," which will support the development of the school's campus and facilities; and

WHEREAS, beyond his accomplishments with Saint Michael the Archangel, Hugh Brown was also a linebacker with the University of Maryland from 1987 to 1991 and ran a successful printing and mailing company from the early 1990s to 2017; he is currently the executive vice president of American Life League; and

WHEREAS, through his resolute faith and unswerving vision, Hugh Brown has made an impression on countless young people, encouraging them to embrace their spirituality and to pursue meaningful dreams and endeavors; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate of Virginia, That Hugh Brown, cofounder, board chairman, and head football coach of Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic High School, hereby be commended for his induction into the Sports Faith Hall of Fame; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Hugh Brown as an expression of the Senate of Virginia's admiration for his achievements.

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