

## 1995 SESSION

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### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 298

*Commending the Loudoun Campus of Northern Virginia Community College on the occasion of its 20th anniversary.*

Agreed to by the Senate, January 26, 1995

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 4, 1995

WHEREAS, the Loudoun Campus of Northern Virginia Community College celebrated its 20th anniversary of service to the community during the fall semester of 1994; and

WHEREAS, the Loudoun Campus, located in Sterling, has grown from a small facility offering mostly business-oriented courses at night to a full-service campus serving more than 4,200 students in over 40 different programs of study; and

WHEREAS, the Loudoun Campus has distinguished itself by offering such unique curricula as veterinary technology, horticulture technology, interior design, landscape technology, music recording technology, and turf and grounds management; and

WHEREAS, the Loudoun Campus of Northern Virginia Community College has further served the needs of the community by offering non-credit continuing education programs in such sought-after fields of study as computer training, work force development, and professional certification/recertification; and

WHEREAS, the campus continues to work closely with local organizations, including the Loudoun County Department of Economic Development, the Loudoun County Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Loudoun, and the Reston Chamber of Commerce, to establish programs and projects for the betterment of the community; and

WHEREAS, the Loudoun Campus of Northern Virginia Community College works with the Loudoun County Public Schools and the Fairfax County Public Schools to develop and implement "Tech Prep" programs and other initiatives that ensure a high-quality education to the young people of Northern Virginia; and

WHEREAS, local residents benefit from the many special events and activities offered to the public free of charge by the Loudoun Campus each year; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate, the House of Delegates concurring, That Northern Virginia Community College's Loudoun Campus be hereby commended on its 20th anniversary and for its dedication to providing high-quality instruction at low cost; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare copies of this resolution for presentation to Richard J. Ernst, president of Northern Virginia Community College, and R. Neil Reynolds, provost of the Loudoun Campus, as an expression of the General Assembly's acknowledgment of the educational service and achievements provided during the 20-year history of the Loudoun Campus.

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