HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 702

Commending Alain Noriega.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, January 21, 2019 Agreed to by the Senate, February 21, 2019

WHEREAS, Alain Noriega, a pastor at Community Church in Ashburn, was presented with the Loudoun Human Services Network Outstanding Faith-Based Leader Award on October 19, 2018, for his positive impact on Loudoun County; and

WHEREAS, Alain Noriega was recognized for leading Community Church in completely renovating the Loudoun Abused Women's Shelter's kitchen, living room, dining room, children's playroom, and outside landscaping; the church also donated new kitchen appliances, furniture, and toys, and helped paint and clean; and

WHEREAS, Alain Noriega's efforts align with the Loudoun Human Services Network's mission as a coalition of nonprofits seeking to provide a comprehensive system of care, resources, and benefits for Loudoun County residents in their times of need; and

WHEREAS, Alain Noriega collaborates with his congregation to perform selfless deeds, including hosting toy drives for children at the Loudoun Abused Women's Shelter, to enhance the Loudoun County community and reach out to those in need; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Alain Noriega for receiving the Loudoun Human Services Network Outstanding Faith-Based Leader Award for his positive impact on Loudoun County; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Alain Noriega as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for his work to better the Loudoun County community through acts that are greater than himself and his church, extending to those in his area in need of care, resources, and help.