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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 362

Offered February 2, 2021

Commending Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli.

Patrons—Bell and Boysko; Delegates: Reid and Subramanyam

WHEREAS, Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli, students in Loudoun County Public Schools, have taken extraordinary efforts to support their community during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, in 2020, Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli founded Project Support Initiative, an organization dedicated to assisting elderly and immunocompromised members of the community by helping them buy groceries and other essential items; and

WHEREAS, taking the Project Support Initiative mission beyond Loudoun County, Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli have helped students in the United States and abroad establish more than 20 additional national and international chapters; and

WHEREAS, with a coalition of more than 300 volunteers, Project Support Initiative has delivered more than \$250,000 worth of groceries to more than 3,500 people nationwide to date; and

WHEREAS, addressing challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic through their work with Project Support Initiative, Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli have demonstrated a commitment to their community that is an inspiration to all Virginians; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate, the House of Delegates concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli, students in Loudoun County Public Schools, for their meritorious efforts to help members of their community in need during the COVID-19 pandemic; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Akshath Mahajan and Maneesh Vallurupalli as an expression of the General Assembly's profound admiration for their achievements.

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