

ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 489

Introduced by Linehan, 39; Wayne, 13.

WHEREAS, the robotics teams from Douglas County West Community Schools (DC West) participated in the U.S. Open Robotics Championship in Council Bluffs, Iowa on April 5 - 7, 2018; and

WHEREAS, DC West Team 8675A (Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0) finished the qualification matches as the only undefeated team (10-0) out of the ninety-one teams in the division; and

WHEREAS, Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0 became the number one alliance captain before going on to win the division and then the entire tournament; and

WHEREAS, Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0 officially became the U.S. Open Champions for 2018, which is the first high school national championship for a DC West robotics team; and

WHEREAS, DC West Team 8675D/B (a combined team of Old King Cole and Humpty Dumpty) finished qualification matches at 8-2 and were selected by the number one alliance; and

WHEREAS, the Old King Cole/Humpty Dumpty team became the U.S. Open Champions in the open division, which was the second national championship of the day for a DC West robotics team; and

WHEREAS, DC West Team 8675C (Black Sheep) finished qualification matches at 6-4 in thirty-third place; and

WHEREAS, the Black Sheep were selected by the number ten alliance, but were defeated in the round of sixteen. The Black Sheep finished their season on a high, having made the elimination rounds at their final tournament; and

WHEREAS, Fuzzy Wuzzy 2.0 will enter the VEX World Championships as one of the favorites to win the competition in Kentucky at the end of April.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates the Douglas County West Community Schools Robotics Teams on their victories at the U.S. Open Robotics Championship.

2. That copies of this resolution be sent to Douglas County West Community Schools Superintendent Dr. Melissa Poloncic and Coaches Dan Moline and Kathy Moline.