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**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 901** 

Offered April 1, 2025

Commending Adam Bernstein.

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WHEREAS, Adam Bernstein, a lieutenant with the Virginia Beach Police Department, will represent the

Commonwealth at the Law Enforcement Torch Run in Italy in 2025; and WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Torch Run is affiliated with the Special Olympics and provides an opportunity for law-enforcement officers to advocate for people with disabilities; the organization is well known for its fundraising and volunteer efforts, as well as its work to help carry the Flame of Hope into the Special Olympics; and

WHEREAS, Adam Bernstein is a 22-year veteran of the Virginia Beach Police Department, a member of the Virginia Law Enforcement Torch Run Council, and an inductee into the Virginia Law Enforcement Torch Run Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, between February 23 and March 9, 2025, Adam Bernstein served as one of 72 law-enforcement officers from around the world to participate in the final leg of the Law Enforcement Torch Run, which culminated in the arrival of the Flame of Hope at the 2025 Special Olympics World Winter Games in Turin, Italy; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That Adam Bernstein hereby be commended on his selection as a runner in the Law Enforcement Torch Run in Italy in 2025; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Adam Bernstein as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for his service to the Virginia Beach community and important role as an ambassador for the Commonwealth on the world stage.