HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 910

Commending Chris Lam.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, April 2, 2025

WHEREAS, Chris Lam has supported numerous youth baseball teams in and around Fredericksburg while honoring the memory of his longtime friend, Allen Bock, through his work with the Allen Bock Memorial High School Baseball Drive; and

WHEREAS, Allen Bock, who died in 2021, was a prolific high school baseball coach who helped bring Stars Showcase Baseball to the Fredericksburg area and was well known for his dedication to helping young people achieve their fullest potential on and off the baseball field; and

WHEREAS, the Allen Bock Memorial High School Baseball Drive, now part of the Allen Bock Memorial Foundation, has upheld Allen Bock's legacy of excellence by ensuring that local teams have plenty of baseballs to use throughout the season; and

WHEREAS, over the past four years, the Allen Bock Memorial High School Baseball Drive has raised more than \$30,000 to provide 12 dozen baseballs to schools in the Battlefield District and the Commonwealth District every year; and

WHEREAS, the baseballs arrive in buckets marked "AB22" for Allen Bock's initials and player number, and teams often use them for practice sessions over the course of the season; and

WHEREAS, Chris Lam's leadership has been essential to the Allen Bock Memorial High School Baseball Drive, which, by providing needed baseballs, has allowed teams to use funds for other, more pressing needs to better serve student-athletes and fans; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That Chris Lam hereby be commended for his outstanding achievements on behalf of young athletes through the Allen Bock Memorial High School Baseball Drive; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Chris Lam as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for the Allen Bock Memorial High School Baseball Drive's contributions to young people in and around Fredericksburg.