## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE, 2011 STATE OF HAWAII

H.R. NO. 303

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

## COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING RADFORD HIGH SCHOOL FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN ROBOTICS.

WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X showcased the talent of Radford High 1 School and the State of Hawaii by competing against a vast array 2 of talented robotics teams from California, Nevada, Hawaii and 3 4 China; and 5 WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X was named the VEX Robotics 6 Competition Tournament Champions 2010-2011 at the VEX Imiloa 7 -Robotics Festival in Hilo, Hawaii on November 20, 2010; and 8 9 WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X was named VEX Robotics Competition 10 Tournament Finalists 2010-2011 at the Pan Pacific VEX Robotics 11 Competition at the Hawaii Convention Center in Honolulu, Hawaii 12 on December 4, 2010; and 13 14 WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X earned the honor of representing the 15 State of Hawaii at the VEX Robotics World Championships held at 16 Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida in April of 2011; and 17 18 WHEREAS, due to the outstanding talents of team members: 19 Jewel Montgomery, John Lohr, Quentin Harris, Emily Ulmer, and 20 Cody Schlosser, Team RAMBOT X proved through hard work, 21 determination, and dedication that they can achieve excellence 22 as a team and as individuals; and 23 24 WHEREAS, VEX Robotics Competition is a unique and 25 challenging team-based activity to build the most innovative 26 robots possible and earn the most points possible all while 27 learning many academic and life skills; and 28 29 WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X embodies the importance of promoting 30 robotics at an early age and sustaining students' interest in 31 Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) education; and 32



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1 2 WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X illustrates the importance of the progression of science and technology here in Hawaii and the 3 United States; and 4 5 6 WHEREAS, Radford High School and Team RAMBOT X has worked 7 hard to advance STEM in Hawaii not only to the students of 8 Hawaii but also to the community; and 9 10 WHEREAS, Radford High School and Team RAMBOT X demonstrates a commitment to robotics by hosting robotics workshops and 11 12 demonstrations on campus as well as in the community; and 13 14 WHEREAS, Team RAMBOT X has done a service not only to 15 fellow students at Radford High School but also to the outlying community by their extraordinary application of STEM in the 16 17 field of robotics in the VEX division championships and in the upcoming VEX Robotics World Championship; and 18 19 20 WHEREAS, this continued commitment by Radford High School 21 and its students, including the achievements by Team RAMBOT X, 22 will pave the way for sustainable interest by Hawaii's students 23 in STEM and robotics for years to come; now, therefore, 24 25 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session 26 of 2011, that this body hereby commends and congratulates Team 27 RAMBOT X of Radford High School for outstanding achievement in 28 robotics and representation of the State of Hawaii at the 2011 29 30 VEX Robotics World Championship in Orlando, Florida. 31 32 33 OFFERED BY:

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