## SENATE RESOLUTION 8721

By Senator Zarelli

WHEREAS, Rebecca Dewey, an esteemed resident of Battle Ground and a student at Maple Grove Middle School, has achieved national recognition for exemplary volunteer service by receiving a 2004 Prudential Spirit of Community Award; and

WHEREAS, This prestigious award, presented by Prudential Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals, honors young volunteers across America who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to serving their communities; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Dewey earned this award by giving generously of her time and energy by organizing a daylong workshop to teach first aid skills to 150 fellow Girl Scouts, ranging in age from kindergarten through 12th grade; and

WHEREAS, The success of the State of Washington, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young people like Ms. Dewey who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Senate congratulate and honor Ms. Dewey as a recipient of a Prudential Spirit of Community Award, recognize her outstanding record of volunteer service and peer leadership, and extend best wishes for her continued success and happiness; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be immediately transmitted by the Secretary of the Senate to Rebecca Dewey and the principal of Maple Grove Middle School.

I, Milton H. Doumit, Jr., Secretary of the Senate, do hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution 8721, adopted by the Senate February 26, 2004

MILTON H. DOUMIT, JR. Secretary of the Senate