

SENATE COMMEMORATION NO. 23

Introduced by: Senators Schoenbeck, Kooistra, and McCracken

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring Marv Sherrill for his thirty-five years as a wrestling coach at Watertown High School in Watertown, South Dakota.

WHEREAS, Marv Sherrill is retiring from coaching wrestling and recruiting wrestlers from the freshmen football team which he also coaches at Watertown High School; and

WHEREAS, Marv Sherrill guided the Watertown Arrow wrestlers to their ninth state team championship on Saturday, March 1, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Marv Sherrill grew up in Cody, Wyoming, and moved to Huron, South Dakota, his senior year of high school where he became Huron's first ever high school state wrestling champion in 1960; and

WHEREAS, Marv Sherrill moved to Watertown in 1968 and has built young men of character through thirty-five seasons of Watertown wrestling by leading by example, instilling discipline, and demanding leadership; and

WHEREAS, Marv Sherrill's biggest fear now is that his wife is finally going to get to know him, and that she is not going to like him that much; and

WHEREAS, Marv Sherrill's friends fear that he will never get his sand-laden golf handicap down to his playing game:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Seventy-eighth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Marv Sherrill of Watertown be honored and congratulated on his retirement after thirty-five years as an outstanding coach and builder of young citizens and athletes at Watertown High School.