

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Northside Indians football team of Vernon  
2 captured the 2006 Class A Six-Man Division II State Championship  
3 with an impressive 60-41 victory over runner-up Jayton High School  
4 at Shotwell Stadium in Abilene on December 16, 2006; and

5           WHEREAS, Led by Regional Coach of the Year Ed Donahue, the  
6 Indians completed their season with an outstanding 14-1 record; the  
7 team totaled 951 points on offense, while yielding only 324 points  
8 on defense, and forty-fived 12 of 15 teams during the season,  
9 including three of five in the playoffs; and

10           WHEREAS, The championship team includes all-region players  
11 Justin Acosta, Nathan McGee, Corey Samson, Colby White, Landry  
12 Freeling, and Zack Agnew; valuable contributions were also made by  
13 team members Koby Dickerson, Clinton Selman, Zach Voelkel, Blaine  
14 Halencak, Bobby Pruitt, Joe Martinez, Larry Phillips, Cody Bunch,  
15 Bradley Thompson, Cole Selman, Johnny Delgado, Brad Matthews, and  
16 Josh Horn; and

17           WHEREAS, Coach Donahue, who is the school superintendent,  
18 received essential support from fellow coaches Wayne Tuckwell and  
19 Chris Casarez; the team additionally benefited from the efforts of  
20 managers Bobby Don Riggins, Clint Ward, Kye Adams, Cade Freeling,  
21 Justin Faulkner, and Glenn Cook and the assistance of principal and  
22 athletic director Cindy Riggins; and

23           WHEREAS, In winning the school's first state football  
24 championship, the Northside Indians football team has earned its

1 place in the annals of Texas high school football history, and this  
2 remarkable display of teamwork and dedication is worthy of special  
3 recognition; now, therefore, be it

4         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
5 Legislature hereby congratulate Coach Ed Donahue and the Northside  
6 Indians football team for winning the 2006 Class A Six-Man Division  
7 II State Championship and extend best wishes to the many  
8 individuals who played a part in this tremendous achievement; and,  
9 be it further

10         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
11 prepared for Northside School as an expression of high regard by the  
12 Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 272

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 272 was adopted by the House on May 4, 2007, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House