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RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The Garden City High School boys' basketball team is

2 participating in the Class A Division II Region II final state 3 tournament on Saturday, March 10; and WHEREAS, The Bearkats won the Region II semifinals on March 4 5 3, 2007, to earn the right to play for the state championship in 6 Austin; and WHEREAS, Head Coach Koby Abney has schooled his players in 7 the finer points of basketball while also emphasizing the virtues 8 of good sportsmanship and academic excellence; he was ably 9 supported in these efforts by assistant coach Alonzo Garcia; and 10 11 WHEREAS, Dedication to excellence both individually and as a 12 team has been a hallmark of the Bearkats, whose team members include 13 Cole Schwartz, Jake Schwartz, Evan Jansa, Bo Eggemeyer, Eric Hirt, 14 Jason Flores, Wade Jansa, Colton Schwartz, and Taylor Niehues; and WHEREAS, These talented young men, as well as their coaches 15 and staff, are a tremendous source of pride for the students and 16 faculty of Garden City High and their many supporters in the 17 community, and this most recent accomplishment has rightfully 18 earned them special legislative recognition; now, therefore, be it 19 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas 21 Legislature hereby congratulate the Garden City High School Bearkats on participating in the Class A Division II Region II final 22 23 state basketball tournament and extend to them sincere best wishes

for continued success and happiness in the years to come; and, be it

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- 1 further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for the team and coaching staff as an expression of high
- 4 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.