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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Cedar Hill High School football team has made
2 the 2006 season a memorable one by winning the 5A Division II state
3 championship for the first time in school history; and

4 WHEREAS, After charging through a 10-0 regular season, the
5 Longhorns captured their second consecutive district title before
6 handing losses to Jesuit, Hebron, Amarillo, DeSoto, and Garland in
7 playoff action; then, this talented squad scored a resounding 51-17
8 victory over Cypress Falls to claim the coveted state crown and post
9 an unblemished 16-0 season record; and

10 WHEREAS, The impressive Longhorns have amassed numerous
11 individual and team accolades over the course of the season,
12 including all-district and all-area honors; boasting the third
13 highest scoring offense in the state, Cedar Hill has also been named
14 High School Football Team of the Year by Chevrolet, Channel 11, and
15 the Harris Rating Poll; and

16 WHEREAS, Contributing to this total team effort were William
17 Cole, Quinton Haynes, Dezmon Briscoe, Trent Stevenson, Cortney
18 Roberson, Dewayne Ikner, Tory Tyner, Corwin Hicks, Dustin Maddox,
19 Anthony Blue, Tim Clark, James Hamilton, Terrance Compton, Keenon
20 Walker, Chris Ogbonna, Pete Thomas, Osie Carroll, Adrian Eaton,
21 Josh Thomas, Deandre Brown, Greg Brown, Imari Thompson, Nick
22 Haywood, Tobi Adeboyejo, Jimmy Rodriguez, Tremaine Reeves, Elijah
23 Olabode, Montrel Green, Ben Malena, Brittian Valentine, Marvin
24 Charles, Corey Roney, Alfred Hutchins, Devin Gonzales, Kameron

1 Lair, Chris Francis, Douglas Hamilton, Demarcus McGinty, Kerry
2 Johnson, Howard Holmes, Eduardo Camara, LB Suggs, Jackie Crathers,
3 Aaron Benson, Douglas Washington, Chris Villines, Marvin Runnels,
4 Darius McGraw, Zac Ponder, Nelson Davis, Rudy Diosdado, John Jones,
5 Cory Sifflet, Jesus Fuentes, Kendrick Houston, Terry Washington,
6 Tyler Smith, Daniel Burgess, Greg Dunn, Brizeek Martin, Jerrel
7 Clemons, Damien Lebby, Emmanuel Chirume, Welmon Mays, Eduardo
8 Posas, Ricky Gonzales, Dane Ward, James McLemore, Osaze Idumwonyi,
9 Michael Washington, Thomas Ashcraft, Tyler Washington, Trent
10 Bizer, Herman Moore, Jordan Young, Romie Blaylock, Cody Powell,
11 Blake Burkhalter, Michael Turner, Ryan Bradley, Jameel Bagby,
12 Dedrick James, Cory Struggs, Willie Watkins, Anthony Caston, Aaron
13 Davies, Cameron Thompson, Melvin Freeman, Wayne Thompson, and
14 Jarvis Humphrey; and

15 WHEREAS, These outstanding athletes were schooled in the
16 game's fundamentals by 8-5A Coach of the Year Joey McGuire, who
17 instilled in his young charges the values of hard work, dedication,
18 and good sportsmanship; Coach McGuire was ably supported by
19 assistant coaches Stephen Hafford, Carlos Lynn, Richard Leonard,
20 Kyle Morales, Jeremy Fatheree, Aaron Woods, Kevin Benjamin, Chill
21 Davis, Steven Lemley, Cory Jennings, and Calvin Ruzicka, trainers
22 Marc McGill, Julie Torre, and David Young, and athletic director
23 Gina Farmer; and

24 WHEREAS, Demonstrating the talent and uncompromising
25 commitment to excellence required of true champions, the Longhorns
26 have earned a place in the annals of high school football, and this
27 achievement will undoubtedly remain with them for many years to

1 come; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
3 Legislature hereby honor the Cedar Hill High School football team
4 for winning the 5A Division II state championship title and extend
5 to the players and coaches best wishes for success and happiness in
6 their future endeavors; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
9 House of Representatives.