

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 566

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Thorndale High School boys basketball team for winning its first University Interscholastic League state championship title; and

**WHEREAS**, The Thorndale Bulldogs defeated the Martin's Mill Mustangs 39-37 in a thrilling playoff game held in Austin on March 10 to become the 2007 Class A Division I state champions; and

**WHEREAS**, Head coach Jeff Lieberman and assistant coaches Tim Berg and Todd Doughty showed outstanding leadership during the season in guiding this team of exceptional athletes to the state basketball championship title; they were capably assisted by trainers Jason York and Lauren Larkin and their successes were recorded by videographer Veronica Page; and

**WHEREAS**, The victorious Thorndale High School Bulldogs are Sederick Brooks, Eric Carrizales, Chris Cornwell, Michael Culbertson, Josh Culp, Blake Doughty, Austin Falke, John Glenn, Everett Hall, Ryan Heine, Michael Hinostroza, Brandon Irwin, Tyler Jordan, Kelly Knue, Isaac Leyendecker, Austin Llana, Britain MacKenzie, Jose Martinez, Glenn Mason, Carlos Rodriguez, Joe Salinas, Chris Saunders, Cody Schneider, Travis Stockton, Preston Stolte, and Ryan Tower; and

**WHEREAS**, School superintendent Gene Solis, principal Dave Denny, and the entire Thorndale community can take great pride in the members of the Thorndale High School boys basketball team for their hard work, their impressive skills, and their fine sportsmanship; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby commend the players, coaches, and teachers and staff of the Thorndale High School boys basketball team for their outstanding achievements during the season and extend congratulations to them on winning the University Interscholastic League's 2007 Class A Division I state basketball championship title; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the team as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the  
above Resolution was adopted by  
the Senate on March 28, 2007.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate