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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Mansfield Timberview High School boys'
2 basketball team had an outstanding 2008-2009 season, advancing to
3 the University Interscholastic League 4A state semifinals for the
4 first time in school history; and

5 WHEREAS, Finishing the campaign with a stellar record of 27
6 wins and 11 losses, the Wolves proved themselves clutch performers
7 who claimed a number of victories with thrilling last-second shots;
8 in playoff competition, the team triumphed over Fort Worth Trimble
9 Tech, Azle, Mansfield Legacy, El Paso Andress, and Amarillo Palo
10 Duro High Schools before finally falling at the hands of eventual
11 state champion Houston Yates; and

12 WHEREAS, The success enjoyed by the Wolves this year was the
13 result of an exceptional team effort, with valuable contributions
14 being made by each member of the roster: Jerren Domino, Brandon Pye,
15 Carl Ellis, Josh Williams, Roosevelt Powell, Mykal Wiley, J. J.
16 Williams, LaDavid Taylor, Jelon Hornbeak, Amos Mundendi, Cedric
17 Ivory, Dahir Haji, Omer Neak, Dexter Elliott, Jason Ross, and Josh
18 Dada; and

19 WHEREAS, Aply guided by head coach Eric McDade, the Wolves
20 also received vital support from assistant coaches Duane Gregory,
21 Robert Johnson, Alfred Jones, Matthew Workman, and Desmond Barnes;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, The hard work and commitment to excellence
24 demonstrated by these talented student-athletes have earned them

1 the respect and admiration of their classmates and their many
2 community supporters, and they may indeed take justifiable pride in
3 all that they have achieved; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate the Mansfield Timberview High
6 School boys' basketball team on reaching the UIL 4A state
7 semifinals and extend to the team's players, coaches, and staff
8 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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