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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Woodlands High School boys' cross-country team
2 reached the pinnacle of success by winning the 2008 University
3 Interscholastic League 5A state championship on November 15, 2008,
4 at Old Settler's Park in Round Rock; and

5 WHEREAS, In winning their third consecutive state title and
6 the 15th in school history, the Highlanders were paced by senior
7 Reed Connor, the Gatorade National Boys Cross Country Runner of the
8 Year, who was the overall individual champion; other athletes who
9 contributed to the team's victory were Drew Butler, Landon Milhorn,
10 Tom Sanderson, Nathan Carbajal, Tyler Bradley, and Ross Moulder;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, The Woodlands High School runners were guided to
13 championship glory by head coach Dan Green, who is retiring on a
14 high note after 33 seasons at the helm of The Woodlands; he finishes
15 his cross-country coaching career with 31 district titles and 26
16 regional titles to his credit, in addition to the 15 state
17 championships; and

18 WHEREAS, Winning a state title represents the culmination of
19 countless hours of hard work and an unwavering commitment to
20 excellence, and these talented student-athletes may take
21 justifiable pride in their remarkable accomplishment; now,
22 therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate The Woodlands High School boys'

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1 cross-country team on winning the 2008 UIL 5A state championship
2 and extend to the runners, coaches, and staff sincere best wishes
3 for continued success; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
6 House of Representatives.