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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Three Rivers High School Bulldogs football team  
2 enjoyed a highly successful 2008 regular season, finishing in  
3 second place in District 31-2A and earning a berth in the state  
4 championship playoffs; and

5           WHEREAS, Posting an overall record of eight wins and one loss  
6 and going 5-1 in district competition, Three Rivers proved itself  
7 one of the finest 2A teams in South Texas; highlights of the 2008  
8 campaign included a 16-13 victory over Dilley High School, the  
9 preseason district favorite, and a 33-13 win over Cotulla High  
10 School to clinch a spot in the playoffs; and

11           WHEREAS, The Bulldogs faced off against George West High  
12 School for the district championship in the regular season finale  
13 on November 7, with the two squads carrying matching undefeated  
14 records into the game; in a spirited contest that lived up to its  
15 advance billing, Three Rivers lost by a score of 28-17 to finish the  
16 season as the district runner-up; and

17           WHEREAS, Led by head coach Eddie Hesselstine, these talented  
18 and dedicated student-athletes are a source of great pride to their  
19 many supporters in the local community, and their outstanding  
20 performance on the gridiron is indeed deserving of special  
21 recognition; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate the Three Rivers High School  
24 Bulldogs football team on its successful 2008 season and extend

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1 sincere best wishes to the players, coaches, and staff for  
2 continued success; and, be it further

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