

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Waxahachie High School Lady Indians soccer team
2 turned in an outstanding performance during the 2009 regular season
3 and captured the District 28-4A championship; and

4 WHEREAS, This district title is a first for the Lady Indians,
5 who posted a record of nine wins and one tie against their 28-4A
6 foes and clinched a spot in the playoffs before the season closed;
7 they head into the postseason as the number-one seed and have
8 considerable momentum after racking up a total of 17 wins in the
9 regular season; and

10 WHEREAS, Superior teamwork was supplemented by valuable
11 individual performances throughout the year; seniors Emily Gore,
12 Flor Carrillo, and team cocaptain Christian Lloyd have been
13 instrumental in this season's successes, as have freshman
14 goalkeeper Sarah Hay and offensive standouts Emily Saunders and
15 cocaptain Amber Swindle; moreover, valuable contributions have
16 been made by all of the other members of the Lady Indians roster:
17 cocaptain Megan Willoughby, Lauren Weatherford, Natalie Kelly,
18 Jill Obenoskey, Alyssa Jones, Anna Barnes, Brittany Johnson,
19 Lindsey Williams, Rian Smith, Danielle Tesei, Caroline Clifton,
20 Sara Sanchez, Bridget Reid, and team manager Gabriela Bahena; and

21 WHEREAS, Head coach Jason Venable has provided sound guidance
22 to the Lady Indians squad throughout the season, inspiring his
23 players to perform to their full potential; this year marks the
24 third time Coach Venable has led Waxahachie to the playoffs since he

1 took the helm in 2005; and

2 WHEREAS, Winning a district championship is the culmination
3 of countless hours of hard work and dedication, and these talented
4 student-athletes may reflect proudly on their accomplishments as
5 they contend for the state title in the playoffs; now, therefore, be
6 it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate the Waxahachie High School Lady
9 Indians soccer team on winning the 2009 District 28-4A championship
10 and extend to the players, coaches, and staff sincere best wishes
11 for continued success; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
14 House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 2651

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2651 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House