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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.