

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Waxahachie High School Indians powerlifting  
2 team turned in exceptional performances and captured the regional  
3 championship at the Texas High School Powerlifting Association  
4 Region 3 Division 1 meet on March 12, 2009; and

5           WHEREAS, This title, the first powerlifting crown in school  
6 history, was won in dramatic fashion; on the last lift of the day,  
7 Aaron Herrera set a personal record in the deadlift and sealed the  
8 Indians' victory, thereby earning the team a place at the state  
9 meet; and

10           WHEREAS, Three other Waxahachie lifters, Ryan White, Andrew  
11 Kindred, and individual regional champion Carlos Cadena, also  
12 qualified for the state finals in Abilene, and this marks the second  
13 consecutive year that Mr. Cadena and Mr. Herrera have attained that  
14 distinction; and

15           WHEREAS, Coaches Rocky Robinson and Terry Minton have played  
16 an essential role in the Indians' success throughout the season,  
17 inspiring the lifters to perform to the peak of their abilities; in  
18 recognition of their accomplishments, Mr. Robinson and Mr. Minton  
19 were honored with the Region 3 Outstanding Coaches Award; and

20           WHEREAS, Through long hours of preparation and unwavering  
21 determination, the Waxahachie lifters have fulfilled their goal of  
22 winning a regional championship, and the memory of this triumph  
23 will provide them with further confidence as they prepare for the  
24 athletic challenges that lie ahead; now, therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
2 Legislature hereby congratulate the Waxahachie High School Indians  
3 powerlifting team on winning the Texas High School Powerlifting  
4 Association Region 3 Division 1 championship and extend to the  
5 athletes, coaches, and staff sincere best wishes for continued  
6 success; and, be it further

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

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H.R. No. 2693

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2693 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House