

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Sarah Mason Thomas, Ashley Stallard, Nicole
2 Johnson, and Savannah Still, four outstanding tennis players from
3 Faith Academy in Marble Falls, proved their abilities by winning
4 titles at the 2010 and 2011 Texas Association of Private and
5 Parochial Schools Tennis State Championships; and

6 WHEREAS, Ms. Thomas won the 2010 2A title in girls' singles; a
7 13-year-old freshman at the time of her triumph, she was the
8 youngest tennis player to ever become state champion; she dominated
9 her opponents in all four rounds of the tournament, losing just 10
10 games, and defeated Victoria Hoelscher of Temple Holy Trinity in
11 the finals to earn Faith Academy's first individual state title;
12 Ms. Thomas has also competed in United States Tennis Association
13 girls' 14 champ matches and has held a No. 1 ranking in the State of
14 Texas; and

15 WHEREAS, Ms. Stallard and Ms. Johnson won the 2010 2A state
16 doubles championship as freshmen, giving the school its first title
17 in that event; the pair won the crown in straight sets over
18 Alexandra Bludau and Emma Gray of Hallettsville Sacred Heart and
19 only dropped six games in the course of four matches; Ms. Stallard
20 has been a girls' 14 super champ player and Ms. Johnson a girls' 16
21 champ player; they, along with Ms. Thomas, are coached by Michelle
22 Stallard at the Horseshoe Bay Resort; and

23 WHEREAS, These victories helped the Lady Flames win the state
24 title in the team competition in 2010, and more success followed in

1 2011; Ms. Thomas joined with classmate Savannah Still to claim the
2 2A state championship in doubles, while Ms. Stallard was state
3 champion in the singles event and Ms. Johnson finished as
4 runner-up; overall, Faith Academy went home with its second
5 consecutive team title; and

6 WHEREAS, The hard work and commitment to excellence
7 demonstrated by these young women have helped their school team to
8 become one of the finest in Texas, and they may take justifiable
9 pride in their exceptional achievements; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
11 Legislature hereby congratulate Sarah Mason Thomas, Ashley
12 Stallard, Nicole Johnson, and Savannah Still on winning titles at
13 the 2010 and 2011 TAPPS Tennis State Championships and extend to
14 them sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
16 prepared for the players as an expression of high regard by the
17 Texas House of Representatives.

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Aliseda	Gonzalez	Munoz, Jr.
Allen	Gooden	Murphy
Alonzo	Guillen	Naishtat
Alvarado	Gutierrez	Nash
Anchia	Hamilton	Oliveira
Anderson of Dallas	Hancock	Orr
Anderson of McLennan	Hardcastle	Otto
Aycock	Harless	Parker
Beck	Harper-Brown	Patrick
Berman	Hartnett	Paxton
Bohac	Hernandez Luna	Pena
Bonnen	Hilderbran	Perry
Branch	Hochberg	Phillips
Brown	Hopson	Pickett
Burkett	Howard of Fort Bend	Pitts
Burnam	Howard of Travis	Price
Button	Huberty	Quintanilla
Cain	Hughes	Raymond
Callegari	Hunter	Reynolds
Carter	Isaac	Riddle
Castro	Jackson	Ritter
Chisum	Johnson	Rodriguez
Christian	Keffer	Schwertner
Coleman	King of Parker	Scott
Cook	King of Taylor	Sheets
Craddick	King of Zavala	Sheffield
Creighton	Kleinschmidt	Shelton
Crownover	Kolkhorst	Simpson
Darby	Kuempel	Smith of Harris
Davis of Dallas	Landtroop	Smith of Tarrant
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S. Davis of Harris	Laubenberg	Solomons
Deshotel	Lavender	Strama
Driver	Legler	Taylor of Collin
Dukes	Lewis	Taylor of Galveston
Dutton	Lozano	Thompson
Eiland	Lucio III	Torres
Eissler	Lyne	Truitt
Elkins	Madden	Turner
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Margo	Villarreal
Fletcher	Marquez	Vo
Flynn	Martinez	Walle
Frullo	Martinez Fischer	Weber
Gallego	McClendon	White
Garza	Menendez	Woolley
Geren	Miles	Workman
Giddings	Miller of Comal	Zedler
Gonzales of Hidalgo	Miller of Erath	Zerwas

H.R. No. 1982

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1982 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2011, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House