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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A select group of athletes from the boys' high
2 school soccer teams in Hardin, Polk, Tyler, Jasper, and Newton
3 Counties have been recognized with postseason honors as a result of
4 their exceptional performances during 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Three players on the Lumberton High School squad,
6 forwards Alejandro Becerra and Kolson Watts and defender Andrew
7 Smith, were named to the *Beaumont Enterprise* Super Gold Team; in
8 addition, each of these young men received All-District accolades;
9 Mr. Becerra was Co-Most Valuable Player, Mr. Watts was a Forward of
10 the Year, and Mr. Smith was a Defensive Player of the Year; the
11 other Lumberton team members receiving District 37-4A honors were
12 Oliver Jiminez, who was deemed the Newcomer of the Year, Jansen
13 Wahl, Nathan Benson, and Jonathan Delaune, who were selected for
14 the first team, and Kilby Pope, Dakota Kline, and Josh Fusilier, who
15 were chosen for the second team; and

16 WHEREAS, The Silsbee High School team was also well
17 represented in the awards selections, with Karl Elers winning a
18 spot on the Super Gold Team and being named All-District Midfielder
19 of the Year, while Brandon Morales earned a Forward of the Year
20 accolade; in addition, Cristobal Aboytes and Niko Santini were
21 tapped for the All-District first team, and Moises Martinez, Evan
22 Craft, and Micah Ayers for the second team; and

23 WHEREAS, Four Hardin-Jefferson High School athletes were
24 lauded, as Bailey Bledsoe was singled out as the District 37-4A

1 Utility Player of the Year, Eddie Alvarez was part of the first-team
2 roster, and Ryan Leger and Quade Robertson joined the second-team
3 lineup; and

4 WHEREAS, Among the Livingston High School competitors,
5 Carlos Davalos was a recipient of a District 37-4A Co-Most Valuable
6 Player award, Kade Burman was the Goalkeeper of the Year, and Javier
7 Davalos was a Defensive Player of the Year; rounding out the list of
8 All-District honorees were Jasper High School's Samuel Navarro, who
9 was chosen for the first team, and Cesar Sierra and Cesar Galvan,
10 who were selected for the second team; and

11 WHEREAS, Demonstrating skill and commitment, these athletes
12 made important contributions to their teams during the 2013 season,
13 and they may reflect with pride on their achievements and on the
14 prestigious recognition they have received; now, therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
16 Legislature hereby congratulate the boys' high school soccer
17 players from Hardin, Polk, Tyler, Jasper, and Newton Counties who
18 garnered Super Gold or All-District awards for their performances
19 and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued success; and,
20 be it further

21 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
22 prepared for the players as an expression of high regard by the
23 Texas House of Representatives.