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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Stephen F. Austin State University women's  
2 basketball team achieved great success during the 2013-2014 season,  
3 winning a conference title and setting a new school record for  
4 postseason wins; and

5           WHEREAS, The Ladyjacks finished the season with a 23-13  
6 overall record, including a 13-5 mark in Southland Conference play  
7 to capture a share of the regular season title; the team earned a  
8 No. 2 seed in the Southland Conference Tournament, where it scored  
9 an impressive 80-54 victory over McNeese State before falling to  
10 Northwestern State in the final round; and

11           WHEREAS, Granted a spot in the Women's Basketball  
12 Invitational, SFA subsequently toppled Texas State University in  
13 the opening round and Boise State University in the quarterfinals;  
14 the Ladyjacks continued their fine play in the semifinals,  
15 defeating the College of Charleston in a hard-fought contest to  
16 clinch a spot in the championship game; there, they gave it their  
17 all against the squad from the University of Illinois-Chicago, but  
18 they ultimately fell by a score of 73-64 to bring their memorable  
19 season to a close; and

20           WHEREAS, Led by head coach Brandon Schneider and assistant  
21 coaches Andy Majors, Jodi Greve, and Jamila Ganter, the Ladyjacks  
22 received valuable contributions throughout the year from each  
23 member of the roster: Destiny Bragman, Brentney Branch, Antionette  
24 Carter, Alexis Fatheree, Daylyn Harris, Tierany Henderson, Kali

1 Jerrell, Adrienne Lewis, Brittney Matthew, LaNesha Middleton,  
2 Victoria Pena, Paulletta Powell, Porsha Roberts, and Taylor Ross;  
3 and

4 WHEREAS, With its exemplary performance in the regular season  
5 and its thrilling postseason victories, the Stephen F. Austin  
6 women's basketball team was a source of great excitement and pride  
7 for its loyal fans, and its triumphs will serve to inspire future  
8 Ladyjack teams in seasons to come; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
10 Legislature hereby congratulate the Stephen F. Austin State  
11 University women's basketball team on its memorable 2013-2014  
12 season and extend best wishes to the players, coaches, and staff for  
13 continued success; and, be it further

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