

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Evadale High School girls' basketball team
2 enjoyed a memorable 2014-2015 season, claiming the district title
3 and advancing to the regional semifinals of the University
4 Interscholastic League 2A state playoffs; and

5 WHEREAS, The Lady Rebels put together an impressive winning
6 streak late in the year and went undefeated in league play to
7 capture the District 24 2A championship and earn a first-round bye
8 in the state playoffs; and

9 WHEREAS, Evadale opened the postseason against Carlisle High
10 School in a showdown for the area crown; the Lady Rebels jumped out
11 to a double-digit lead at halftime before pulling away in the second
12 half for a dominating 66-37 win; matching up with the squad from
13 Tenaha High School in the following round, Evadale proved up to the
14 task once more, recording a hard-fought 41-40 win; in the regional
15 semifinals, the Lady Rebels turned in another spirited performance
16 but ultimately fell to Hubbard High School to bring the year to a
17 close; and

18 WHEREAS, The notable success realized by the Lady Rebels
19 stemmed from their team-oriented approach to the game, with
20 valuable contributions coming from each member of the roster; these
21 talented student-athletes were guided by head coach Robert
22 Hollyfield, who inspired his players to perform at the highest
23 level; and

24 WHEREAS, Through skill, determination, and hard work, the

1 members of the Evadale High School Lady Rebels basketball team
2 proudly represented their school and community, and they are indeed
3 deserving of recognition for a job well done; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate the Evadale High School girls'
6 basketball team on its accomplishments during the 2014-2015 season
7 and extend to the team's players, coaches, and staff sincere best
8 wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

White of Tyler

H.R. No. 1429

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1429 was adopted by the House on April 16, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House