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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Plano West High School girls' basketball team 2 enjoyed an outstanding 2014-2015 season, claiming a district 3 championship and advancing to the regional finals of the University 4 Interscholastic League 6A state playoffs; and

5 WHEREAS, Playing under the direction of head coach Kristen 6 Perry and assistant coach Kristen Grassi, the Lady Wolves finished 7 the regular season with a perfect record in league play to capture 8 the District 6-6A championship and earn a berth in the state 9 playoffs; and

WHEREAS, After opening postseason play with a dominating 10 11 victory over Fossil Ridge High School, Plano West went on to defeat 12 Trinity and Cedar Hill High Schools to set up a regional semifinal showdown against the squad from Amarillo High School; there, the 13 14 Lady Wolves took a six-point lead into halftime, and they held off a furious second-half rally from their opponents in a tightly 15 contested, 52-48 triumph; matching up in the regional finals with 16 their district rivals from Flower Mound High School, Plano West 17 18 mounted an impressive comeback in the overtime period but ultimately fell by a score of 53-50 to conclude their playoff run; 19 20 and

21 WHEREAS, The Lady Wolves finished their notable 2014-2015 22 campaign with an overall record of 30 wins and just 5 losses; the 23 success that Plano West realized this season stemmed from their 24 team-oriented approach to the game, with valuable contributions

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coming from each member of the roster: Sydney Skinner, Kyrie
McNeil, Natalie Chou, Morgann Yancey, Callie Owens, Amy Hartleroad,
Jalyn Hodge, Daria Cosgrove, Justine Montgomery, Erin Parker, and
Vuye Magalela; and

5 WHEREAS, Through skill, hard work, and an unwavering 6 commitment to excellence, the Plano West athletes established 7 themselves as strong playoff contenders, and their accomplishments 8 are a source of pride and inspiration for their school and 9 community; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas 11 Legislature hereby congratulate the Plano West High School girls' 12 basketball team on its memorable 2014-2015 season and extend to the 13 team's players, coaches, and staff sincere best wishes for the 14 future; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 3499 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House