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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Robstown High School baseball team enjoyed an

2 outstanding 2015 season, capturing the district championship and

3 advancing to the regional quarterfinals of the University

4 Interscholastic League 4A playoffs; and

5 WHEREAS, The Cotton Pickers closed out the regular season

6 with a 4-1 win over Rockport-Fulton High School on April 28 to claim

7 the District 31-4A crown and the school's 27th league title; the

8 team then began its exciting postseason run with two dominating

9 victories over its bi-district opponent, Port Isabel High School;

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11 WHEREAS, Matching up against Hondo in the following round,

12 Robstown won Game 1 of the series by a score of 5-4 before clinching

the area championship with a five-run triumph in Game 2; that earned

14 the Cotton Pickers a place in the Region 4 quarterfinals, where they

15 took the opening contest against Sinton High, thanks to a no-hit

16 pitching performance by Jesse Ray Garcia; the Robstown players put

17 forth a determined effort in the final two games of the series, but

18 they ultimately fell short to bring their memorable season to a

19 close; and

20 WHEREAS, Ably guided by head coach Elias Vasquez and

21 assistant coaches Rudy Gonzalez, Trey Hernandez, and Roland

22 DeAlejandro, the Cotton Pickers finished the 2015 campaign with an

23 impressive overall record of 24 wins and just 6 losses and benefited

24 from the valuable contributions made by each member of the roster;

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- 1 and
- 2 WHEREAS, These talented student-athletes demonstrated hard
- 3 work and an unwavering commitment to excellence over the course of
- 4 the season, and they may reflect with pride on a job well done; now,
- 5 therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 7 Legislature hereby congratulate the Robstown High School baseball
- 8 team on its notable accomplishments during 2015 and extend to the
- 9 team's athletes and coaching staff sincere best wishes for
- 10 continued success; and, be it further
- 11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 12 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 13 House of Representatives.