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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Bushland High School volleyball team once again
2 reached the pinnacle of success by winning the University
3 Interscholastic League Class 4A state championship at the Curtis
4 Culwell Center in Garland on November 19, 2016; and

5 WHEREAS, En route to the crown, the Lady Falcons advanced
6 through the postseason with triumphs against Lamesa, Pecos, Denver
7 City, Wylie, and Glen Rose High Schools to earn a place in the state
8 tournament for the seventh time in the past 11 years; Bushland then
9 knocked off Liberty Hill in the semifinals, setting the stage for a
10 rematch of the 2015 title game against Argyle High School; and

11 WHEREAS, Determined to avenge the previous year's loss, the
12 Lady Falcons jumped out to an early lead, capturing the first two
13 sets by scores of 25-23 and 27-25; Argyle rallied to take the third
14 set, but Bushland recovered in the fourth to win by the score of
15 25-19 and clinch the fourth championship trophy in school history;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Benefiting from strong teamwork throughout the
18 season, the Lady Falcons received outstanding contributions from
19 each member of the roster: Allie Gandy, Skylar Cleavinger, Jayla
20 Norman, Addyson Tiffin, Ariel Marquez, Chrissie Gillette, Savannah
21 Sullain, Jalee Sims, Morgan Hooker, Madison McCaslin, Kaylee
22 Prescott, Wylee Lane, Kensi Christian, Beckley Boydston, Jennifer
23 Grantham, and Claudia Crutcher; the players were ably guided by
24 head coach JaNeen Eudy and assistant coaches Michael Rose, Amber

1 Parkhurst, and Kaitlyn Wilhelm; and

2 WHEREAS, With this latest championship achievement, the
3 Bushland High players have furthered their school's reputation as a
4 volleyball powerhouse, and each of the Lady Falcons will forever
5 cherish her memory of this exceptional season; now, therefore, be
6 it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate the Bushland High School
9 volleyball team on winning the 2016 UIL Class 4A state championship
10 and extend to the team's players, coaches, and staff sincere best
11 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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