

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Hallsville High School Bobcat Belles clinched
2 the grand championship title in the National Drill Team Contest
3 hosted by Showtime International in Galveston on April 3, 2016; and

4 WHEREAS, Dazzling the judges with military-inspired
5 choreography, the Belles secured their third consecutive win at the
6 national-level competition, where they earned top honors in the
7 super high school modern, hip hop, jazz, novelty, pom, and open team
8 categories; these skilled performers also garnered special
9 recognition for crowd appeal and were presented with the Spirit of
10 America Award; and

11 WHEREAS, Under the able guidance of director Kathryn Calaway
12 and assistant director Mandy Jenkins, the 49 members of the
13 Hallsville High drill team have spent countless hours practicing
14 and perfecting their routine over the past school year, making
15 their remarkable success particularly well deserved; and

16 WHEREAS, Through hard work, dedication, and perseverance,
17 these talented young Texans have established themselves as a
18 premier Lone Star State dance team, and they may indeed take pride
19 in their outstanding achievement; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
21 Legislature hereby congratulate the Hallsville High School Bobcat
22 Belles on their selection as the grand champions of the 2016
23 Showtime National Drill Team Contest and extend to them sincere
24 best wishes for the future; and, be it further

H.R. No. 2556

1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
3 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2556 was adopted by the House on May 28, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House