R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Cuero High School football star Jordan Whittington

2 closed his senior season in triumphant fashion when he helped the

3 Gobblers football team win its first state championship in over

4 three decades; and

5   WHEREAS, A dominant force on both sides of the ball,

6 Mr. Whittington was named both the Offensive and Defensive Most

7 Valuable Player in the 4A Division 2 state title game after running

8 for a record-breaking 334 yards and accounting for a team-high 11

9 tackles; during the course of the 2018 season, he rushed for 846

10 yards and 14 touchdowns, caught 49 passes for 948 yards and 13

11 touchdowns, and racked up 86 tackles; his accomplishments are all

12 the more impressive given that he missed the first four games of the

13 year due to injury; and

14   WHEREAS, In recognition of his outstanding play,

15 Mr. Whittington was named the 2018 4A Built Ford Tough Texas High

16 School Player of the Year and was selected as a First Team

17 All-American by MaxPreps; he will continue his gridiron career in

18 2019 as a member of the Longhorns football team at The University of

19 Texas at Austin; and

20   WHEREAS, Jordan Whittington has pursued his goals with

21 remarkable drive and an enduring commitment to excellence, and he

22 may take great pride in all that he has achieved as he looks ahead to

23 a college career bright with promise; now, therefore, be it

24   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

1 Legislature hereby congratulate Jordan Whittington on his

2 outstanding accomplishments as a member of the Cuero High School

3 football team and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued

4 success; and, be it further

5   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

6 prepared for Mr. Whittington as an expression of high regard by the

7 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 264 was adopted by the House on March 13, 2019, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House