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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Bringing the 2018 season to a dramatic and
2 triumphant conclusion, the Galena Park North Shore Senior High
3 School football team captured the 2018 University Interscholastic
4 League 6A Division 1 state championship at AT&T Stadium in
5 Arlington on December 22; and

6 WHEREAS, Under the guidance of head coach Jon Kay, the
7 Mustangs cruised through the regular season with an unblemished
8 record on the strength of a high-powered offense and stifling
9 defense; their inspired play continued into the postseason as they
10 defeated Pasadena Dobie, Dickinson, Katy, Cy-Fair, and Austin Lake
11 Travis High Schools, with North Shore winning each game by
12 double-digit margins; and

13 WHEREAS, In the state title contest, the Mustangs took the
14 field against Duncanville High School in a clash of unbeaten
15 squads; the back-and-forth battle featured multiple lead changes
16 throughout and ultimately culminated in a remarkable final play;
17 North Shore trailed by a single point with just three seconds left
18 on the clock when quarterback Demetrius Davis launched a Hail Mary
19 pass 45 yards into the Duncanville end zone that was miraculously
20 grabbed by receiver AJ Carter to earn the Mustangs the state crown;
21 and

22 WHEREAS, The members of the North Shore Senior High football
23 team demonstrated admirable skill and determination in winning the
24 state championship and compiling a flawless record against top

1 competition, and memories of this exemplary accomplishment will
2 resonate with their fellow students and their many supporters in
3 the local community for many years to come; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate the Galena Park North Shore Senior
6 High School football team on winning the 2018 UIL 6A Division 1
7 state championship and extend to the team's players, coaches, and
8 staff sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
10 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
11 House of Representatives.