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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The girls' soccer team from Carroll High School in
2 Southlake capped a storybook year by winning the University
3 Interscholastic League 6A state championship on April 20, 2019, in
4 Georgetown; and

5 WHEREAS, After enjoying a stellar regular season in which
6 they compiled a 21-1-2 record and claimed the District 5-6A title,
7 the Lady Dragons went on to vanquish Flower Mound, South Grand
8 Prairie, Coppell, Frenship, and Pearce High Schools in the playoffs
9 to reach the state tournament; the Carroll team then opened the
10 championship weekend with a 2-0 victory over Lake Travis High in the
11 semifinal round; and

12 WHEREAS, The Lady Dragons squared off against undefeated
13 Tompkins High School in the state title game and proceeded to win
14 the crown handily with a 5-0 shutout; three of those goals were
15 scored by senior Madi Drenowatz, who finished the season with a
16 team-high 34 goals and the title of UIL State Tournament Most
17 Valuable Player; seniors Kendall Gilpin, Taylor Tufts, and Madi
18 Martin also enjoyed impressive game performances and were named to
19 the 6A State All-Tournament Team; and

20 WHEREAS, Excelling with a true team effort, the Lady Dragons
21 also received valuable contributions throughout the year from the
22 other members of the roster: Berkley Higgins, Caroline Semadeni,
23 Bella Buncher, Julienne Guerin, Madeline Bryant, Tara Sumer, Morgan
24 Quillen, Stephanie Smith, Sarah Hornyak, Karina Owens, Lyndsey

1 Stubbs, Kaelyn Riley, Lauren Mazick, Gabrielle McGuire, Tatum
2 Parks, Megan Matthews, Diana Shaughnessy, Sophie Walters, Kate
3 Burlingame, Bailey Meyer, Allison Mills, Olivia Hein, Hanna Khan,
4 Laney Kimble, Meagan Martin, Gabriella Jamall, and Sydney Nobles;
5 these dedicated athletes were guided by head coach Matthew Colvin
6 and assistant coaches Lindsey Jacobson, Paul Lee, and Allison
7 Loftin; and

8 WHEREAS, In addition to winning the state championship, the
9 Lady Dragons ended the 2018-2019 season ranked as the No. 1 team in
10 the state and the No. 4 team in the nation; many Carroll players
11 received all-district and all-state honors, and several others
12 earned awards from the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*, the *Dallas Morning*
13 *News*, and the Texas Association of Soccer Coaches; and

14 WHEREAS, With their exceptional ability and unwavering
15 commitment to excellence, the Lady Dragons proved themselves the
16 premier 6A squad in the Lone Star State, and they are a source of
17 tremendous pride to their classmates and their many supporters in
18 the local community; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
20 Legislature hereby congratulate the Carroll High School girls'
21 soccer team on winning the 2019 UIL 6A state championship and extend
22 to the team's players, coaches, and staff sincere best wishes for
23 the future; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
25 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
26 House of Representatives.