H.R. No. 287

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Melaney McDaniel Loar of Rockwall was inducted into the Sterling College Athletics Hall of Fame in 2020 in recognition of her outstanding basketball career with the Lady Warriors; and

WHEREAS, Making an immediate impact for the Sterling College women's basketball team as a transfer player in 1997, Mrs. Loar was a First Team All-Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference pick in her first season; she excelled in all phases of the game, sparking the Lady Warriors to a national tournament berth; and

WHEREAS, The next year, she continued to dominate on the court, pacing Sterling to the conference championship as the KCAC Player of the Year; again tabbed as a First Team all-conference selection, she led the Lady Warriors in all major statistical categories and was named the squad's Most Valuable Player, Most Inspirational Player, and the Sterling College Outstanding Female Senior Athlete during her final campaign in 1999; and

WHEREAS, Today, Mrs. Loar remains the program's record holder for steals in a game with 12 and the single-season steals leader with 114 takeaways; and

WHEREAS, Melaney McDaniel Loar demonstrated exceptional skill and determination as a member of the Sterling Lady Warriors' basketball team, and she may indeed take great pride in her many accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Melaney McDaniel Loar on her induction into the Sterling College Athletics Hall of Fame and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for Mrs. Loar as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 287 was adopted by the House on October 18, 2021, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House