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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Ozona High School boys' powerlifting team earned  
2 great distinction with its performance at the 2021 Texas High  
3 School Powerlifting Association state meet, held on March 27; and

4           WHEREAS, Joining the top competitors in Texas at the Taylor  
5 County Expo Center in Abilene, the Ozona lifters claimed two  
6 individual titles; Lane Smith captured the gold medal in the  
7 123-pound weight class, hoisting 375 pounds in the squat, 215 in the  
8 bench press, and 390 in the deadlift for a total of 980; in the  
9 308-pound division, Keano Perez clinched first place with 1,555  
10 total pounds after compiling 660 in the squat, 345 in the bench  
11 press, and 550 in the deadlift; and

12           WHEREAS, The Lions were also represented by Arlie Hernandez,  
13 who finished seventh in the 181-pound weight class after lifting a  
14 total of 1,230 pounds; and

15           WHEREAS, In the final tabulations, the Ozona athletes tallied  
16 14 points, which earned the team fourth place among the Division 3  
17 competitors; and

18           WHEREAS, These determined young Texans have excelled through  
19 hard work and an unwavering resolve to give their very best, and  
20 they are a source of tremendous pride to their classmates and their  
21 many supporters in the local community; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate the Ozona High School boys'  
24 powerlifting team on its performance at the 2021 THSPA state meet

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1 and extend to the team's athletes, coaches, and staff sincere best  
2 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

3       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for the Lions as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
5 House of Representatives.