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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The girls' water polo team from Brazoswood High
2 School in Clute reached the pinnacle of success by winning the 6A
3 championship at the 2024 University Interscholastic League Water
4 Polo State Tournament; and

5 WHEREAS, The Lady Buccaneers dropped just two regular-season
6 games and clinched the District 12-6A title; they continued to
7 excel in the playoffs, besting Houston Clear Lake, La Porte, League
8 City Clear Springs, Cypress Creek, and Pearland Dawson High Schools
9 to punch their ticket to state for the third consecutive year; and

10 WHEREAS, On October 25, at the Josh Davis Natatorium in San
11 Antonio, Brazoswood prevailed 14-8 over Southlake Carroll High in
12 the semifinals; the next day, the Lady Bucs battled two-time
13 defending state champion Richmond Foster High School for the 6A
14 state crown in what proved to be a nail-biting showdown; trailing by
15 three entering the fourth quarter, they staged an impressive
16 comeback, scoring four goals to force overtime; Brazoswood threw in
17 two shots in the first extra period to take the advantage and then
18 dialed up the defensive pressure to hold its opponent scoreless in
19 the second OT; triumphing by the final score of 11-9, the team
20 brought home the school's first state title in girls' water polo and
21 ended with an outstanding record of 28-2; and

22 WHEREAS, Brazoswood was led in the state final by Most
23 Valuable Player Mallory Kesler, and she was joined on the 6A
24 All-Tournament Team by Gigi Lower and Hope Kadlecik; the Lady

1 Buccaneers also received vital contributions during the year from
2 the other members of the roster: Jaycie Fort, Kendall Dane, Sarah
3 Mitterling, Lexie Mican, Anna Reuschle, Emma Meservy, Sophia
4 Guajardo, Allie Jones, Therese Braun, Larissa Bracken, Emerson
5 Montgomery, Michelle Ebey, Ava Crisp, Lucy Sanchez, Cooper Dane,
6 and Kesleigh Corn; these talented student-athletes were guided by
7 head coach Robert Brown and assistant coach Kiel Haner; and

8 WHEREAS, Winning a state championship represents the
9 culmination of countless hours of hard work and an unwavering
10 commitment to excellence, and the Brazoswood Lady Bucs may indeed
11 reflect with pride on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
13 Legislature hereby congratulate the Brazoswood High School girls'
14 water polo team on winning the 2024 UIL 6A state championship and
15 extend to the players, coaches, and staff sincere best wishes for
16 continued success; and, be it further

17 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
18 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
19 House of Representatives.