

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Austin County 4-H Livestock Quiz Bowl team took  
2 first place at the Western National Roundup held on January 9, 2025,  
3 in Denver, Colorado; and

4 WHEREAS, This outstanding achievement followed a number of  
5 other impressive performances by the team; after advancing from the  
6 District 11 4-H Spring Spectacular in April 2024, the group bested  
7 nine other teams to place first at the Texas 4-H Roundup in June,  
8 qualifying for the national competition; team Texas defeated Idaho,  
9 Colorado, Alaska, and Minnesota to reach the semifinals, where they  
10 triumphed over Colorado once again to claim the national  
11 championship; and

12 WHEREAS, The dedicated members of the Austin County team are  
13 all juniors at Bellville High School; Katelyn Krenek, who served as  
14 team captain, was named fourth High Point Individual overall, and  
15 Madilyn McCullough was named Champion High Point Individual with  
16 her record-breaking total of 32 points; the team also received  
17 valuable contributions from its other members, Darcy Luedke and  
18 Katie Schumann, and is ably guided by coaches Janet and Rodney  
19 Melnar; and

20 WHEREAS, These accomplished young Texans devoted many hours  
21 to increasing their knowledge of livestock-related topics, and  
22 their diligence and commitment to their studies are qualities that  
23 will serve them well in the years to come; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate the Austin County 4-H Livestock  
2 Quiz Bowl team on winning first place at the Western National  
3 Roundup and extend to the members of the team sincere best wishes  
4 for the future; and, be it further

5       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
6 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
7 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 196 was adopted by the House on March 6, 2025, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House