

2015 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 17

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIERRY

A RESOLUTION

To commend the North Central High School girls' basketball team for winning the Class 1A state championship.

WHEREAS, the North Central High School girls' basketball team completed a sensational 2014-2015 season when they earned the title of Class 1A state champions after defeating Vermilion Catholic with a final score of 54-50 at Burton Coliseum in Lake Charles; and

WHEREAS, the win against Vermilion Catholic marks the first state championship title in any sport for North Central High School; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Canes were lead by Jazlyn Roberston, who finished the game with fourteen points and twelve rebounds which earned her the title of most outstanding player; Sydney Martin and Quaniqua Joseph also scored and rebounded well to help capture the state title; and

WHEREAS, the members of the team performed at the highest levels of excellence throughout the season, and each of the Lady Canes deserves recognition for her vital contributions to the winning effort; and

WHEREAS, head coach Vanessa Taylor has instilled an ethic of winning and demonstrated the kind of leadership and motivational skills needed to produce winners both on and off the court; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the well-deserved title which the Lady Canes have earned, to commend the team for the ability they have displayed, particularly at the most difficult level of competition, and to express sincere and heartfelt congratulations to the team members and the coaching staff for the merits earned and the sportsmanship shown while achieving such a high honor for North Central High School.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate the members of the North Central High School girls' basketball team and head coach Vanessa Taylor for winning the Class 1A state basketball championship, capping off a truly spectacular season and does hereby recognize the team's outstanding performance and the honor and pride that they have brought to their school and community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to head coach Vanessa Taylor.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES