

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Lutcher High School girls' powerlifting team for winning its eleventh consecutive Division III state title.

WHEREAS, Lutcher's powerlifting ladies won seven of the eleven weight classes, dominating in its eleventh straight title, and the team finished with fifty-nine points, thirty-one points ahead of its nearest rival, in the Allstate Sugar Bowl/Louisiana High School Athletic Association State Powerlifting meet at the University of Louisiana-Monroe's Fant-Ewing Coliseum on March 17, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Shyanne Naquin finished 150 pounds ahead of the second-place competitor; her three-lift total was 920 pounds; Paige Bivona lifted 855 pounds on the day; Ms. Naquin and Ms. Bivona swept the Outstanding Lifter honors for Lutcher High School; and

WHEREAS, Quamecca Stafford, Shay Naquin, Melanie Louque, Macy Lambert, and Jaydah Young were individual champions for Lutcher High in their weight classes; and

WHEREAS, lifters Paige Bivona, Laural Donald, Macy Lambert, Emily Louque, Melanie Louque, Raelynn Martin, Shay Naquin, Shyanne Naquin, Quamecca Stafford, Jaydah Young, and Kelsie Zeller have exhibited great skill throughout the powerlifting season; the team's managers, Caitlyn Cullen, Alexis Laiche, and Ja'Onte Washington, kept the Lutcher Lady Bulldogs organized and on track; and Head Coaches Jon and Kelly Magendie, and Assistant Coach Michele Poche have imparted a championship mindset and work ethic necessary for the team to attain powerlifting's highest honor in Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the achievements of the athletes who comprise the Lutchter High School girls' powerlifting team are notable and worthy of recognition, and for the eleventh straight year, these young women have brought great pride to their school and community with their winning ways.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate the athletes and coaches of the Lutchter High School girls' powerlifting team upon winning the 2017 Division III state championship and does hereby offer best wishes to the Lutchter Lady Bulldogs for continued success in every endeavor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Head Coaches Jon and Kelly Magendie.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES