

HOUSE RESOLUTION 53

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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend the Brentwood Academy Eagles boys' basketball team on winning the TSSAA Division II, Class AA state championship.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should salute those student athletes who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as true champions of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such exemplary group of young athletes is the Brentwood Academy Eagles boys' basketball team, whose members have all proven themselves to be the fiercest of competitors and truly worthy of admiration by winning the 2023 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association (TSSAA) Division II, Class AA state championship; and

WHEREAS, claiming the state crown for the ninth time in school history, the Eagles conquered their opponents, Briarcrest Christian School, with a score of 63-52 to hoist the gold ball trophy; and

WHEREAS, the Eagles were led by tournament MVP and Mr. Basketball finalist Tyler Tanner, who was joined on the All-Tournament team by teammates Jayson Nixon, George MacIntyre, and Lincoln Aholt; and

WHEREAS, the Eagles' superb victory may not have been possible without the stellar leadership of an exemplary coaching staff led by Head Coach Andy Blackston; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Brentwood Academy boys' basketball team epitomize all that is good in today's student athletes, as they have achieved a premier level of success in competition while exhibiting the highest degree of character in all aspects of life; and

WHEREAS, the perseverance, determination, work ethic, and talent of this group of young men not only made possible a championship season but also surely bode well for their future success; and

WHEREAS, we find it appropriate to acknowledge and congratulate the members of the Brentwood Academy boys' basketball team on this special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and commend the members and coaches of the Brentwood Academy Eagles boys' basketball team upon winning the 2023 TSSAA Division II, Class AA State championship and extend to them our best wishes for every continued success in all their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.