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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 78

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY AND SCHAMERHORN

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Zwolle High School boys' basketball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Division V state championship

A RESOLUTION

2	To commend the Zwolle High School boys' basketball team on winning the Louisiana High
3	School Athletic Association 2023 Division V state championship.
4	WHEREAS, the Zwolle High School Hawks claimed the 2023 Division V state title
5	by defeating the Anacoco High School Indians, 40-25, in the championship game at Burton
6	Coliseum in Lake Charles, Louisiana; and
7	WHEREAS, although the victory marks the Hawks' first state title since 2017, it also
8	gives the program a share of the state-record sixteen Louisiana High School Athletic
9	Association (LHSAA) state titles; and
10	WHEREAS, Head Coach Bradley McLaren has led the Zwolle High School
11	basketball program to twelve of its sixteen LHSAA state titles; this season, his team added
12	to that winning pedigree by not only another state title, but also an imposing record of thirty-
13	three wins and only two losses; and
14	WHEREAS, Zwolle High School senior Kenneth Montgomery was voted Most
15	Outstanding Player of the Division V championship after he finished with fourteen points
16	and eleven rebounds; the Hawks' Preston Sanders also added thirteen points and ten
17	rebounds; and
18	WHEREAS, Zwolle High School is most deserving of the highest recognition for its
19	decades-long dominance of boys' basketball.

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1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the

- 2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Zwolle High School boys' basketball
- 3 team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Division V state
- 4 championship and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that the team's coaches, players, and
- 5 training staff continue their incredible work and always strive for greatness.

## **DIGEST**

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