

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 117

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAVIS JOHNSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Ferriday High School boys basketball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2026 Division IV Non-Select state championship.

WHEREAS, it is most fitting to recognize the Ferriday High School boys basketball team for their outstanding season and to commend the team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2026 Division IV Non-Select state championship; and

WHEREAS, the Ferriday High School Trojans captured the 2026 Division IV Non-Select state title by defeating East Iberville High School, 59-55, in the championship game held at Burton Coliseum in Lake Charles; and

WHEREAS, Marcque "BeBe" Terrell was named the MVP of the championship game after scoring a game-high eighteen points, grabbing a team-high ten rebounds, blocking one shot, and dishing out an assist; Caleb Washington facilitated the team's offense and finished with fourteen points, nine assists, four rebounds, and three steals; and

WHEREAS, Robert Taylor contributed nine points, four rebounds, and two assists; Demarcus Mitchell finished with seven points, two rebounds, two blocks, and four steals, and Shavaris Watson added seven points, four rebounds, two steals, two assists, and one block; and

WHEREAS, Head Coach Shawn Davis led the team to a District 2-2A title and an undefeated record in district play, and the talented Trojans squad earned the top-seeded position in the Division IV Non-Select playoff bracket; he is a former standout Ferriday basketball player who helped lead the program to a state championship victory in 1989; and

WHEREAS, Coach Davis and the members of the Ferriday High School Trojans basketball team are most deserving of the highest recognition for their dominant season.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Ferriday High School boys basketball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2026 Division IV Non-Select state championship and does hereby encourage the players and coaches to continue their excellent work and always strive for greatness in competition.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES