

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 109

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the St. Louis Catholic High School boys' soccer team for winning the LHSAA Division III state championship

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the St. Louis Catholic boys' soccer team and head coach Jason Oertling upon
3 winning its third consecutive Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA)
4 Division III state championship.

5 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend the St. Louis Catholic boys' soccer team
6 upon winning its third consecutive LHSAA Division III state championship; and

7 WHEREAS, the Saints of the St. Louis Catholic boys' soccer team have completed
8 a sensational season, earning the title of LHSAA Division III state champions after defeating
9 the Episcopal High School Knights, by a score of 2-1 after dominating the second half of the
10 championship game Wednesday, February 22, 2017, at Tad Gormley Stadium; and

11 WHEREAS, this thrilling victory marks the thirteenth title in the school's history and
12 gives the Saints the state record for the most champions; and

13 WHEREAS, the athletes of St. Louis Catholic High School performed at the highest
14 level of excellence throughout the 2016 season and the playoffs, and each of these talented
15 Saints deserves recognition for his vital contributions to the winning effort: seniors John
16 Henry Ammons, Luke Benoit, Luke Burnham, Zac Eisner, T-Beau Faul, Luke Gaskin, Alex
17 Ieyoub, Matthew Ieyoub, and George Villaume; juniors William Aguiard, Jack Clement,
18 Evan Dore', Eli Gaughan, Hunter Guillory, Tyler Hoover, Luke Ieyoub, Nic Miguez, Ryan
19 Monk, Brian Snider, Joseph Tassin, and Conner Williams; sophomores Michael Aleshire,
20 Sam Broussard, Matthew Dufrene, Dawson Goodfriend, Andrew Kilpatrick, Luke
21 Schwartzenburg, Lane Stine, and Christopher Zareck; and freshmen Matthew Burnham,

1 Ethan Carnahan, Andrew Castleberry, Landon Cooley, Alex Darbonne, Morgan Evans, Clay
2 Gaskin, Ethan Hebert, Ryan Ieyoub, Tristen Judice, Luke Ledet, Quinn Marceaux, Joe
3 Percele, Colby Piatt, Aidan Primeaux, Jimmy Ryder, John Savoy, and Nicholas Veuleman;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, the team's amazing feats could not have been achieved without the
6 unwavering dedication and inspiring guidance of head coach Jason Oertling; the Saints
7 coaching staff, Irvin Clark, Ben Jester, Toby Landry, Melissa Minton, Rachel Muth, and
8 Luke Pousson; team manager Kirby Oertling; and medical staff, Dr. Brett Cascio, Dr. Ben
9 Williams, and Roderick Joseph; as well as the passion of the many Saints supporters who
10 contribute to the success of the school's soccer program; and

11 WHEREAS, the team's outstanding 2016 season upholds the glorious tradition of the
12 Saints, and all alumni and fans recognize the tremendous honor, pride, and joy that the team
13 brings to St. Louis Catholic High School, Lake Charles, and the state of Louisiana.

14 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
15 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the St. Louis Catholic High School boys'
16 soccer team and head coach Jason Oertling upon winning a third consecutive Louisiana High
17 School Athletic Association Division III state championship; does hereby record for
18 posterity this exceptional team's triumph in the great sport of soccer; and does hereby extend
19 best wishes to the players, coaches, and everyone involved with this fine soccer program as
20 they celebrate their championship season and prepare for continued success in the future.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
22 to head coach Jason Oertling.

DIGEST

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