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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 120

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Zwolle High School Hawks boys' basketball team upon winning the 2017 Allstate Sugar Bowl/LHSAA Boys Basketball Championship, Class B

A RESOLUTION

2	To commend the Zwolle High School Hawks boys' basketball team upon winning the 2017
3	Allstate Sugar Bowl/Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA) Boys
4	Basketball Championship, Class B.
5	WHEREAS, the Zwolle High School Hawks boys' basketball team has a long and
6	storied history of championship basketball, including 15 state championships between the
7	years of 1908 and 2017, tied for the most number of state championships in LHSAA boys'
8	basketball history; and
9	WHEREAS, the 2016-2017 Zwolle Hawks boys' basketball team did not disappoint
10	with a regular season record of 28-7-1 qualifying them for the 2017 Allstate Sugar
11	Bowl/LHSAA Boys Basketball Championship Tournament, Class B playoffs where they
12	began the tournament with a bye; and
13	WHEREAS, through the 2017 Allstate Sugar Bowl/LHSAA Boys Basketball
14	Championship, Class B tournament after their initial bye, the Hawks beat Oak Hill 65-41,
15	Avoyelles Charter 51-41, and beat neighboring Florien in the semi-finals 54-48 enabling the
16	Zwolle Hawks to play in the championship game once again; and
17	WHEREAS, led by Coach Bradley McLaren, the top-seeded Zwolle Hawks took the
18	floor to try their mettle against Hathaway High School Hornets before a noisy and partisan
19	crowd in Lake Charles in the Class B finals; and

1 WHEREAS, the Hornets came out of the box running with a 13-2 start to the second 2 quarter giving the Hornets a 25-9 lead, but the Zwolle Hawks were able to overcome the 16 3 point deficit and held the Hornets to only nine more points for the rest of the game; and 4 WHEREAS, Hawks senior Hilton Frazier's three-point shot in the fourth quarter gave 5 Zwolle a lead that it never gave up resulting in a final score of 37-34, an overall season 6 record of 34-7-1, and the Class B state championship. 7 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the 8 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Zwolle High School Hawks boys' 9 basketball team upon winning the 2017 Allstate Sugar Bowl/LHSAA Boys Basketball 10 Championship, Class B. 11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted 12 to Coach Bradley McLaren at Zwolle High School.

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