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2 WHEREAS, after St. Joseph's added one run, Hackberry scored three more runs in
3 the bottom of the fifth with Broussard, Trahan, and Blanche and Brianne Beard contributing
4 to the rally and increasing the lead to eleven to six; and

5 WHEREAS, the game ended early on the ten-run rule when the Mustangs scored five
6 in the sixth inning with Stine connecting for a two-run single and Devall blasting a two-run
7 double off the left field fence to score the final two runs and closing the game out at sixteen
8 to six; and

9 WHEREAS, the win capped a season in which three eighth-graders and a sophomore
10 filled the void left by four seniors who graduated after the 2014 championship; and

11 WHEREAS, the depth of commitment by the members of the Hackberry softball
12 team and their coaches can be measured in their success, but also in the friendships forged
13 through the sense of accomplishment of a goal as a team and in the continuation of what has
14 become a Hackberry High School softball tradition; and

15 WHEREAS, Coach Angie Little complimented the 2015 Hackberry Mustangs,
16 stating that the team worked hard and on the diamond their attitude was to "play defense and
17 hustle, hustle, hustle"; and

18 WHEREAS, the members of the Class C State Champion Hackberry Mustang
19 softball team are Sydney Broussard, Brianne Beard, Kaye Leigh LaBove, Lexie Stine, Abby
20 Trahan, McClain Frey, Jeanne Trahan, Gracie Devall, Blanche Beard, Olyvia LaBove, Casey
21 LaFleur and Karlie Stine; and

22 WHEREAS, the coaching staff for the Mustang softball team is Angie Little, head
23 coach, and assistant coaches Kristal Franklin, Sharon Sanner, and Barry Stine.

24 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
25 commend and congratulate the Hackberry High School softball team for winning the 2015
26 Class C State Championship for the fifth consecutive year.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
28 Hackberry High School Principal, Charles Wilson.

