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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2

BY REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Basile High School wrestling team on winning the 2019 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division III state championship

A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the Basile High School wrestling team upon winning the 2019 Louisiana High 3 School Athletic Association Division III state championship. 4 WHEREAS, the Basile High School Bearcats wrestling team defeated the defending 5 champions, St. Louis Catholic, by a score of 282 to 224.5 to win the Louisiana High School 6 Athletic Association (LHSAA) Division III title at the CenturyLink Center in Bossier City 7 on Saturday, February 9, 2019; and 8 WHEREAS, out of fourteen wrestlers, eleven Bearcats reached the semifinals, six 9 advanced to the finals, and five won individual titles; senior Gavin Christ, who was the No. 1 10 seed with a 39-0 record, finished a second undefeated season and earned his fourth 11 consecutive championship; and 12 WHEREAS, Basile's head coach, Bryan McCoy, and assistant coaches, Carmen 13 Cortez and Dave Johnson, and each wrestler, Dawson Ashford, Ethan Baziet, Christian 14 Bergeron, Gavin Christ, Isaac Cortez, Logan David, Gabe Duplechin, Brevin Fields, Luke 15 Fontenot, Parker Fontenot, Matthew François, Anphrony Guillory, Jayden Guillory, Andre 16 Johnson, Gage Johnson, Luc Johnson, Ethan Langley, Hunter Langley, Cole Manuel, Baylor 17 McCoy, Alex Menier, Blake Menier, Jacob Queflander, Jayce Smith, and Luis Torres are 18 worthy of mention for the long hours of practice and preparation that resulted in the team 19 achieving its first state title since 1991; and

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1 WHEREAS, the Basile High School wrestling team brings honor and distinction,

- 2 through its athletic excellence, to the school, to the town of Basile, and to the state of
- 3 Louisiana.
- 4 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
- 5 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Basile High School wrestling team upon
- 6 winning the 2019 LHSAA Division III state championship and does hereby extend best
- 7 wishes for continued success for the coaches and student athletes of this outstanding
- 8 program.
- 9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
- 10 to Basile High School.

## **DIGEST**

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