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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 46

BY REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Arcadia High School girls' basketball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division IV Non-Select state championship

A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the Arcadia High School girls' basketball team on winning the Louisiana High 3 School Athletic Association 2024 Division IV Non-Select state championship. 4 WHEREAS, the Arcadia High School Lady Hornets captured the 2024 Division IV 5 Non-Select state title by defeating the Oakdale High School Lady Warriors, 48-32, in the 6 championship game held at Southeastern Louisiana University in Hammond, Louisiana; and 7 WHEREAS, Arcadia coach, Lakinya Currie, did an incredible job of motivating and 8 rallying the Lady Hornets following last season's stunning, last-second loss to Oakdale in 9 the state semifinals; she led her team to an astonishing record of thirty-two wins and only 10 three losses with the help of her assistant coaches, Raven Hampton and DeAnthony Lyons; 11 and 12 WHEREAS, Arcadia's Justice Young was recognized as the Most Outstanding Player 13 of the championship game after scoring sixteen points and grabbing nineteen rebounds; 14 Arianna Williams scored twelve points and secured ten rebounds, and Ryhanna Abney added 15 eight points and six rebounds; additionally, Ja'Kyria Cockerham and Jayla Mendenhall 16 contributed four points each, and De'Asia Alexander finished with an impressive stat line 17 of four points, eleven rebounds, eight blocks, and three steals; and 18 WHEREAS, in addition to the players and coaches, Arcadia's bookkeeper, Shirley 19 Hollinquest, and scorekeeper, Andre Vernon, are most deserving of recognition for their HLS 24RS-1505

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1 contributions to the team; Arcadia High School athletic director, Dimitri Carr, also warrants

- 2 recognition for his leadership of the school's athletics department; and
- WHEREAS, the Arcadia High School Lady Hornets basketball team is a truly
- 4 inspiring group of young women who deserve the highest recognition for their perseverance
- 5 and dedication throughout this championship run.
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
- 7 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Arcadia High School girls' basketball
- 8 team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division IV
- 9 Non-Select state championship and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that the Lady
- Hornets continue their incredible work and always strive for greatness.

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