

2024 SPECIAL SESSION I

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 879

Commending the Heritage High School girls' basketball team.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, April 2, 2025

WHEREAS, the Heritage High School girls' basketball team of Loudoun County won the Virginia High School League Class 4 state championship at the Stuart C. Siegel Center in Richmond on March 14, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Heritage High School Pride defeated the Salem High School Spartans by a score of 46–37, bringing home the program's first championship title and the second in school history; and

WHEREAS, the Heritage Pride held their opponent to 18 points in the first three quarters and never trailed in the game, while all five starters scored four or more points, including Alyssa Stanford, who had a game-high 23 points; and

WHEREAS, with its championship win, the Heritage Pride ended the season on an 18-game winning streak after also claiming the Virginia High School League's Dulles District and Region 4C tournament titles; and

WHEREAS, the success of the Heritage Pride is the result of the hard work and dedication of the student-athletes, the leadership and guidance of their coaches and teachers, and the unwavering support of their families and the entire Heritage High School community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That the Heritage High School girls' basketball team hereby be commended for winning the 2025 Virginia High School League Class 4 state championship; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Taylor Cook, coach of the Heritage High School girls' basketball team, as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for the team's achievements.

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