

House Resolution 1936

By: Representative Elrod of the 25th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Jefferson High School Wrestling Team; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the Jefferson High School Wrestling Team has won the 2004 State
3 Championship, the fourth straight championship for the Dragons and the eighth in the
4 school's history, bringing honor to themselves and their community; and

5 WHEREAS, with eight Dragons reaching the finals and six winning individual state crowns,
6 Jefferson dominated the field, besting its nearest rival, Bremen, by 29.5 points and placing
7 each of fourteen starting wrestlers in the top four of his respective weight class; and

8 WHEREAS, these young men have demonstrated extreme dedication, hard work, personal
9 sacrifice, and perseverance to achieve these honors and this distinction; and

10 WHEREAS, Coach Doug Thurmond and his assistant coaches have proven to be exceptional
11 coaches, teachers, and individuals in the development of the wrestling program; and

12 WHEREAS, the parents and citizens of Jefferson are greatly appreciative of the
13 accomplishments of these young men and their coaches; and

14 WHEREAS, the spirit of small-town Georgia and America has been reinforced by the
15 shining example set by the school and community in Jefferson.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
17 the members of this body commend the efforts of the Jefferson High School Wrestling Team
18 on winning the Class A state title for the fourth straight year.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Coach Doug Thurmond.