

Senate Resolution 346

By: Senators Staton of the 18th, Tolleson of the 20th and Chance of the 16th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the 2005 Stratford Academy Girls Basketball Team, winners of the GISA
2 Class AAA State Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, with the support of its fans and the guidance of Coach Ed Smith, the Stratford
4 Academy Girls Basketball Team captured the 2004 GISA Class AAA State Basketball
5 Championship, finishing the season with an outstanding perfect record of 28 wins and no
6 losses; and

7 WHEREAS, the team defeated another previously undefeated team from George Walton
8 Academy in the championship game by a score of 52-32 to claim the Class AAA
9 championship, the first time in GISA history that two undefeated teams had met for the state
10 championship; and

11 WHEREAS, these victories were the culmination of a season of hard work, exemplary
12 sportsmanship, and exceptional teamwork among this close-knit group of outstanding young
13 ladies; and

14 WHEREAS, Macon and the Bibb County community and the State of Georgia take great
15 pride in the accomplishments of these fine young champions and the leadership of Coach Ed
16 Smith.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 join in congratulating the 2005 GISA Class AAA State Champion Stratford Academy Girls
19 Basketball Team on an outstanding season.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach Ed Smith.