

Senate Resolution 792

By: Senator Whitehead, Sr. of the 24th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating and commending the Washington-Wilkes Tigers football team and its coach
2 as a result of their fantastic season that led them to the Georgia Class A State Final; and for
3 other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Tigers Head Coach Russell Morgan has been named the Northeast Georgia
5 Football Coach of the Year by the *Athens Banner-Herald* and is the first Washington-Wilkes
6 coach to achieve this distinction; and

7 WHEREAS, Coach Morgan in his third year led the Tigers to a 12 -3 campaign and the Class
8 A State Finals; and

9 WHEREAS, Coach Morgan is admired and respected by his predecessor and his fellow area
10 rival team coaches as a deserving recipient of this honor as a result of his hard work and
11 sincerity; and

12 WHEREAS, eleven Tigers named to various levels of the All Northeast Georgia Team were
13 first team: Casey Nickels, Demont Gresham, and Markeith Wylie; second team: Jerbar Moss
14 and Jareon Small; and honorable mention, Kelmetrius Wylie, Mark Tench, Clete Wilson,
15 Fabian Dye, Quintelle Dunn, and Delveccio Wilburn; and

16 WHEREAS, other Tigers honors include *The Atlanta Journal Constitution's* All State Team:
17 first team: Markeith Wylie and Casey Nickels; and honorable mention, Jerbar Moss; and

18 WHEREAS, *The Augusta Chronicle's* All Area Team include first team: Casey Nickels,
19 Markeith Wylie, and Mark Tench; second team: Jerbar Moss and Delveccio Wilburn; and
20 honorable mention, Quintelle Dunn, Dan Wylie, Jareon Small, and Kelmetrius Wylie; and

21 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia takes pride in the accomplishments of these fine young
22 champions and the leadership of Coach Russell Morgan.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
2 join in congratulating the Washington-Wilkes Tigers football team and its coach, Russell
3 Morgan, on an outstanding season.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach Russell Morgan.