

House Resolution 989

By: Representatives Scott of the 2nd and Neal of the 1st

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Ridgeland High School football team on winning its first Region 6-AAA
2 Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, through perseverance and iron determination, the Ridgeland High School
4 football team earned the top ranking in Region 6 with their 28-13 victory over Carrollton
5 High School; and

6 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
7 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, the unity of purpose and spirit of each member
8 of the team, and their superb offensive and defensive talents; and

9 WHEREAS, this team's stellar performances this season are due to the astute direction of
10 Head Coach Mark Mariakis; and

11 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
12 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
13 abundantly proper to call them champions.

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
15 the members of this body congratulate the Ridgeland High School football team on winning
16 its first Region 6-AAA Championship and extend their sincerest best wishes for future
17 success.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
19 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the players and coaches of
20 the 2008 Ridgeland High School football team.