

House Resolution 25

By: Representatives Rice of the 95th and Marin of the 96th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Norcross Blue Devils football team on their 2012 Class AAAAAA State
2 Championship win; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, through perseverance and iron determination, the Norcross Blue Devils gained
4 their first championship title in the varsity football program's 56th season with a hard-earned
5 21-14 victory over the Lovejoy Wildcats; and

6 WHEREAS, the Lovejoy Wildcats presented tough competition, leading the Blue Devils
7 14-3 until the final minutes of the game; and

8 WHEREAS, with the help of Norcross top defensive player Jaquan Frazier, and his nine
9 tackles, the Blue Devils were given a chance to score; and

10 WHEREAS, quarterback Joseph Wilber's 61-yard touchdown pass, with 4 minutes and 26
11 seconds remaining, to Alvin Kamara, Norcross' first running back to rush for more than
12 2,000 yards in a season, propelled the Blue Devils to gain the lead for the first time during
13 the game; and

14 WHEREAS, to further solidify the burgeoning career, Alvin Kamara's 119 yards on 30
15 carries helped push the Norcross Blue Devils to victory; and

16 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
17 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each
18 member of the team; their superb offensive and defensive talents; and the astute direction of
19 Coach Keith Maloof; and

20 WHEREAS, he joined his father George Maloof to become the third father and son to win
21 state titles; and

22 WHEREAS, Norcross has become the fourth different Gwinnett County school in seven
23 seasons to win the highest classification state championship; and

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

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body congratulate the Norcross Blue Devils football team for winning
29 the 2012 Class AAAAAA State Championship and extend their sincerest best wishes for
30 future success.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Norcross High School.