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Senate Resolution 935

By: Senator Dugan of the 30th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and recognizing the University of West Georgia coed cheerleading squad and
- 2 coaches; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the University of West Georgia is a dynasty in the work of competitive
- 4 cheerleading, and that dynasty picked up one more title at the Universal Cheerleader
- 5 Association National Championship, the Division II championship; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the coed squad was the first among the UWG cheerleading teams to make
- 7 waves at the UCA Nationals in the early 2000's and this year's title marks the first time since
- 8 the 2011 season for the coed cheerleaders; and
- 9 WHEREAS, in addition to its cheerleading squad, the University of West Georgia has
- 10 countless successful entities, and has recently been classified as a comprehensive university
- by the University System of Georgia's Policy of Institutional Function and Mission; and
- 12 WHEREAS, UWG's regional economic impact totaled over \$442 million in the 2012 fiscal
- 13 year, which marked the fifth year of the school's continued annual impact growth; and
- 14 WHEREAS, nearly 12,000 students pursuing undergraduate and graduate degrees enroll at
- 15 the university each year; these students can enjoy a complete college experience on the
- 16 Carrollton campus, including residence hall living, intercollegiate athletics, and more than
- 17 150 student organizations; and
- 18 WHEREAS, named by *The Princeton Review* as one of the Best Southeastern Colleges and
- 19 one of America's Best Value Colleges, the University of West Georgia provides exceptional
- 20 academic quality for all 93 programs of study it has to offer; and
- 21 WHEREAS, UWG is home to the state's first honors college, complete with an honors
- 22 curriculum; the school's Advanced Academy of Georgia is one of approximately 12 programs

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23 in the United States that allows high school-aged students to earn concurrent high school and

- 24 college credit while living on campus in a full-time residential program; and
- 25 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence
- 26 under the direction of Head Coach Nicole Wiltsie and Assistant Coach Cody Sellers by
- 27 performing with precision and dedication over months of training and competition, it is
- abundantly proper to call them champions.
- 29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 30 commend and recognize the University of West Georgia coed cheerleading squad and
- 31 coaches for winning their 10th Universal Cheerleader Association National Championship.
- 32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 33 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the University of West Georgia coed
- 34 cheerleading squad and coaches.