

House Resolution 1883

By: Representative Knight of the 130<sup>th</sup>

### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the St. George's Episcopal School varsity boys cross country  
2 team on winning the GISA State-AA Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the St. George's Episcopal School varsity boys cross country team was led by  
4 freshman Sam Potter, who finished fourth overall with a time of 18:22, and the team had  
5 three other runners who finished in the top 20: Chaz Martinez placed 15th with a time of  
6 19:55, Cade Scanlon placed 16th with a time of 19:57, and Gray Long placed 19th with a  
7 time of 20:25; and

8 WHEREAS, the team finished with 74 points in a tie with Mill Springs Academy of  
9 Alpharetta for first place, and the tie was broken by St. George's 6th place runner, Butler  
10 Matthews, whose finishing time was one minute and six seconds ahead of the 6th place  
11 runner for Mill Springs, pushing St. George's into first place; and

12 WHEREAS, this state championship marks the first for St. George's since the school added  
13 a 9th grade program this year; and

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

18 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its reputation for excellence by performing with  
19 precision and dedication over months of training and competition, it is abundantly fitting and  
20 proper to call them champions.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
22 the members of this body recognize and commend the St. George's Episcopal School varsity

23 boys cross country team on winning the GISA State-AA Championship and extend to them  
24 best wishes for continued success.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
27 St. George's Episcopal School varsity boys cross country team.