

Senate Resolution 442

By: Senators James of the 35th, Jones of the 10th and Lucas of the 26th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Langston Hughes High School boys varsity basketball team for winning
2 the 2017 GHSA 6A State Basketball Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Langston Hughes High School boys varsity basketball team has established
4 and maintained a proud tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and
5 academics; and

6 WHEREAS, this superlative team has completed a triumphant season of basketball
7 competition by posting an outstanding record of 25 wins and only 8 losses; and

8 WHEREAS, excellent play, superior teamwork, and extraordinary resilience made this team
9 a spectacular one to observe throughout the season, and as a fitting finale to its remarkable
10 2017 campaign, the team captured its first state basketball championship; and

11 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
12 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each
13 member of the team under the astute direction of Head Coach Rory Welsh; and

14 WHEREAS, this magnificent team performed with precision during the season and earned
15 its well-deserved reputation for high standards of athletic achievement, the quality of its play,
16 and the stiff competition it presented to its opponents.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 commend the Langston Hughes High School boys varsity basketball team for winning the
19 2017 GHSA 6A State Basketball Championship and extend their most sincere best wishes
20 for continued success.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
22 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Langston
23 Hughes High School boys varsity basketball team.