

House Resolution 587

By: Representatives Huddleston of the 72nd, Howard of the 71st, Smith of the 18th, and Smith of the 70th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Carrollton High School debate team for winning the 2021, 2022, 2023,
2 2024, and, most recently, 2025 GFCA State Debate Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Carrollton High School debate team has established and maintained a proud
4 tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and academics; and

5 WHEREAS, excellent delivery, superior teamwork, and extraordinary resilience made this
6 team a spectacular one to observe throughout the season, and their months of training and
7 practice have been rewarded with a victory at the last five GFCA State Debate
8 Championships; and

9 WHEREAS, this distinguished and unmatched record represents the team's incredible
10 tradition of excellence, including a total of 15 state championships; and

11 WHEREAS, this magnificent program performed with precision during the 2024-2025
12 season and cemented its well-deserved reputation for high standards of debate achievement
13 and its development of critical thinkers and excellent public speakers; and

14 WHEREAS, this remarkable accomplishment stands as a testament to the dedication, skill,
15 and perseverance demonstrated by each member of the team; the astute direction and
16 guidance of their coaches; and the steadfast support of their school community; and

17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this exemplary championship team be
18 appropriately honored during this special time.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body congratulate the Carrollton High School debate team for winning
21 the 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, and 2025 GFCA State Debate Championships and extend best
22 wishes for continued success.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
25 Carrollton High School debate team.