

House Resolution 1817

By: Representative Williams of the 148th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Wilcox County Lady Patriots basketball team for winning the 2026 GHSA
2 Class A Division II Girls Basketball State Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Wilcox County girls basketball team has established and maintained a proud
4 tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and academics; and

5 WHEREAS, this superlative team has completed another triumphant season of basketball
6 competition by posting an outstanding record of 29 wins and one loss; and

7 WHEREAS, excellent play, superior teamwork, and extraordinary resilience made this team
8 a spectacular one to observe throughout the season, and as a fitting finale to its remarkable
9 2026 campaign, the team captured its second girls basketball state championship, securing
10 back-to-back titles for the first time in program history; 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; its superb offensive and defensive talents; and the astute direction of
14 Head Coach Santita Coon; and

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

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body commend the Wilcox County Lady Patriots basketball team for
20 winning the 2026 GHSA Class A Division II Girls Basketball State Championship and
21 extend their most sincere best wishes for continued success.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
23 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
24 Wilcox County Lady Patriots basketball team.