

Hall of the House of Representatives
88th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2011
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Resolution No. 1034

TO CONGRATULATE THE RIVERCREST HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM FOR ITS
EXCELLENT SEASON.

Amendment No. 1 to House Resolution No. 1034

Amend House Resolution No. 1034 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CONGRATULATE THE RIVERCREST HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM FOR ITS EXCELLENT SEASON AND 3A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CONGRATULATE THE RIVERCREST HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM FOR ITS EXCELLENT SEASON AND 3A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP."

AND

Delete lines 18 through 26 and substitute the following:

"WHEREAS, on Friday, March 11, 2011, the Rivercrest High School Colts captured their second Class 3A State Championship of the year – this one in basketball – by defeating the West Fork Tigers 63-48 in front of 4,009 fans at Summit Arena in Hot Springs, Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, Demoine Brown captured his second most valuable player award of the school year by scoring a game-high twenty-four (24) points to help the Colts collect their first state basketball championship in school history; and

WHEREAS, West Fork (34-3) led Rivercrest through three quarters, but the Colts took over in the final eight minutes, outscoring West Fork 22-6 in the fourth quarter to take the victory; and

WHEREAS, Rivercrest shot twenty-two (22) of sixty-one (61) from the floor and hit four (4) of fifteen (15) from three-point range. The Colts



outrebounded the Tigers 39-29 and forced twenty (20) turnovers, scoring twenty-five (25) points off West Fork's miscues; and

WHEREAS, Rivercrest Coach Rick Wilson never doubted the players' ability to come back and win the championship, stating, "I told them at the end of the third quarter we've been here before in that situation. Don't panic. Don't get into a rush. Just do what we do. They did a great job."; and

WHEREAS, senior guard Tevin Howard finished with fifteen (15) points and eleven (11) rebounds. Howard turned the tide for the Colts by hitting two free throws to give Rivercrest a 43-42 lead with 7:21 left in the game. He commented on the success of his fellow athletes, "The feeling is unreal, the same people that played basketball played football. Our whole starting five played football."; and

WHEREAS, the team from Wilson, Mississippi County, Arkansas, was led by Coaches Rick Wilson and Johnny Fleming; and

WHEREAS, the 2010 roster includes D'Tatum Baber, D'Tyler Baber, Terrence Banks, Demoine Brown, Earl Byrd, Demetrius Chew, Blake Coffman, Robert Cooney, Desean Gordon, Devionte Gray, Trevor Gregory, Tevin Howard, Garrett Lane, Calvin Nunn, Darrell Robertson, Rakeem Stewart, and Mario Wilson,

NOW THEREFORE,
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the Rivercrest Colts be congratulated for their outstanding 2010-2011 season and first state basketball championship in school history."

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative T. Baker
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Chief Clerk