

1 State of Arkansas  
2 92nd General Assembly  
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HR 1053

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5 By: Representatives Richardson, Crawford, Boyd  
6 By: Senators Rice, M. Pitsch

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8 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

9 TO CONGRATULATE THE FORT SMITH NORTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL  
10 GIRLS AND BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 TO CONGRATULATE THE FORT SMITH NORTHSIDE  
15 HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS AND BOYS BASKETBALL  
16 TEAMS.

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19 WHEREAS, the 2019 Fort Smith Northside Grizzlies girls basketball team  
20 claimed the Class 6A state championship trophy after the Grizzlies defeated  
21 the Bentonville Lady Tigers with a score of 36-34 at Bank OZK Arena in Hot  
22 Springs, Arkansas; and

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24 WHEREAS, the Grizzlies finished the season with a 28-1 record; and

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26 WHEREAS, the Lady Grizzlies established a new state record with 7 girls  
27 state basketball championship victories; and

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29 WHEREAS, the 2019 Fort Smith Northside Grizzlies boys basketball team  
30 claimed the Class 6A state championship trophy after the Grizzlies defeated  
31 the Bryant Hornets with a score of 44-41 at Bank OZK Arena in Hot Springs,  
32 Arkansas; and

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34 WHEREAS, the Grizzlies were led by junior Jaylin Williams, who finished  
35 the game with 20 points, 16 rebounds, and 3 blocked shots, which earned him  
36 Most Valuable Player honors; and



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2 WHEREAS, the Grizzlies' defense held the Hornets to their lowest point-  
3 total of the year; and

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5 WHEREAS, Fort Smith Northside was the only high school to have both its  
6 boys and girls basketball teams win the state championships in 2019,

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8 NOW THEREFORE,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL  
10 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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12 THAT the House of Representatives congratulate the members of the Fort  
13 Smith Northside Grizzlies girls basketball team and the Fort Smith Northside  
14 Grizzlies boys basketball team.

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16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon its adoption, a copy of this resolution  
17 shall be presented to Athletics Coordinator Mike Falleur by the Chief Clerk  
18 of the House of Representatives.