

House Resolution 1656

By: Representative Beasley-Teague of the 65th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Langston Hughes High School boys basketball team for winning the 2018
2 GHSA Class 6A State Basketball Championship; and for other purposes.

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

6 WHEREAS, excellent play, superior teamwork, and extraordinary resilience made this team
7 a spectacular one to observe throughout the season, and as a fitting finale to its remarkable
8 2018 campaign, the team captured its second consecutive state basketball championship; and

9 WHEREAS, the team brought special recognition to its school by winning the 2018 GHSA
10 Class 6A State Basketball Championship against a formidable opponent with a final score
11 of 85 to 78; and

12 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
13 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each
14 member of the team under the direction of regional coach of the year, Rory Welsh; 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 Langston Hughes High School boys basketball team
20 for winning the 2018 GHSA Class 6A State Basketball Championship and extend their most
21 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 appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Rory
24 Welsh and the Langston Hughes High School boys basketball team.