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**HOUSE CONCURRENT
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High School boys basketball team.

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Whereas, In the school's first appearance in the Indiana High School Athletic Association (IHSAA) boys basketball state finals, the Homestead Spartans defeated Evansville Reitz by a score of 91-90 in a thrilling overtime game to become the 2014-2015 Class 4A state boys basketball champions;

Whereas, Homestead rallied from an eight-point deficit in the final two minutes of regulation;

Whereas, Tahj Curry scored the Spartans' final two buckets in regulation time, tying the game at 73 and sending it into overtime;

Whereas, With five players scoring in double figures, Homestead shot 57.4 percent from the field and outrebounded Evansville Reitz by a margin of 44 to 24;

Whereas, The Spartans finished the season ranked fourth in the Associated Press Poll with a record of 29 wins and 2 losses;

Whereas, Under the guidance of Head Coach Chris Johnson and through hard work and dedication, the Homestead Spartans have reached the pinnacle of success on the basketball court;



Whereas, Members of the IHSAA executive committee named Dana Batt the winner of the Arthur L. Trester Mental Attitude Award in Class 4A boys basketball;

Whereas, In addition to his ability on the basketball court, Dana also excels in his studies, ranking 30th in a class of 508 with a 4.11 GPA;

Whereas, Dana also participated in the National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and Euchre Club, is an active member in his church, and has assisted with the Toys for Tots effort; and

Whereas, Outstanding accomplishments such as this deserve special recognition: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the
- 2 Homestead High School boys basketball team on its Class 4A state
- 3 championship victory and wishes the players continued success in all
- 4 their future endeavors.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to team members
- 7 Dana Batt, Luke Cooper, Tahj Curry, Jordan Geist, Gunnar Goebel,
- 8 Travis Lake, Teddy Ray, Ben Skowronek, Caleb Swanigan, and Jack
- 9 Wolfcale; Head Coach Chris Johnson; Assistant Coaches Jim Carter,
- 10 Don Lines, and Nick Ankenbruck; Managers Nicholas Wright and
- 11 Tomas Novoa Fonte; Athletic Director Joe Updegrove; Principal Park
- 12 Ginder; and Superintendent Dr. Phil Downs.

