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A HOUSE RESOLUTION recognizing the Walker Career Center Advanced Finance Academy.

Whereas, The Walker Career Center Advanced Finance Academy is a two-year program located at the Walker Career Center:

Whereas, The Walker Career Center serves students from Warren Central, New Palestine, Greenfield, and Mt. Vernon high schools;

Whereas, The students participating in the Advanced Finance Academy begin the Advanced Finance program as juniors in the Introduction class where they are introduced to Dave Ramsey and his principles of paying cash for purchases and staying out of debt;

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Whereas, During the second semester students are able to earn economics credit; and, as seniors, are placed in the Advanced Finance Academy where they are able to earn six dual credits through Indiana University's Kelley School of Business;

Whereas, On Friday, November 11, 2016, three teams of seniors competed in the Price Waterhouse Coopers Accounting for the Future Case Competition;

Whereas, Beta Alpha Psi, the accounting business fraternity, provided the case to high school classes from Hamilton Southeastern High School, Westfield High School, North Central High School, Ben Davis High School, and the Walker Career Center;

Whereas, During the competition the teams complete financial statements for Hoosier Fitness, determine how to keep the business running successfully, and predict what future financial statements for the company might look like;

Whereas, The team consisting of Alexis Pennington, Ryan Page, Raul Guerra, and Anna Uhlenhake placed first in the competition, marking the first time in the history of the competition that a team from the Walker Career Center won the competition; and

Whereas, Outstanding academic accomplishments such as these merit special attention: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives acknowledges the outstanding work of the staff and administration of the Walker Career Center Advanced Finance Academy.

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SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the Walker Career Center Advanced Finance Academy.

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