
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 34 Session of
2015

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JANUARY 22, 2015

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
JANUARY 22, 2015

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the Northwest Raiders Football Team from the City of
2 Philadelphia on capturing the 2014 Pop Warner National Super
3 Bowl Championship for the Midget Division.

4 WHEREAS, The Northwest Raiders won the Pop Warner Super Bowl
5 Championship in a 26-6 victory over Connecticut's New Britain
6 Raiders on December 13, 2014, in a nationally televised game
7 hosted at Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida; and

8 WHEREAS, The national title is the pinnacle of an excellent
9 season for the team composed of students from Imhotep Charter
10 and Martin Luther King High School, in the City of Philadelphia,
11 and a dedicated coaching staff; and

12 WHEREAS, The team's dominant performance in the championship
13 came only four days after overcoming the Palmetto Raiders' home-
14 field advantage in a hard-fought double-overtime victory; and

15 WHEREAS, With its Pop Warner Super Bowl victory, the

1 Northwest Raiders earned their first national title since their
2 program began in 1971; and

3 WHEREAS, Pop Warner Little Scholars, Inc., founded in 1929,
4 is a nonprofit organization that provides youth football and
5 cheer and dance programs in 42 states across the country and is
6 the only youth football organization that requires participants
7 to maintain academic standards in order to participate;
8 therefore be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor the
10 Northwest Raiders Football Team from the City of Philadelphia on
11 capturing the 2014 Pop Warner National Super Bowl Championship
12 for the Midget Division and for serving as athletic and academic
13 role models in their community; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to
15 the Northwest Raiders Athletic Association on 1100 East Chelton
16 Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19138.