

By: Representative Wallace

HOUSE RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING THE MANILA HIGH SCHOOL LIONS AS CLASS
3A BOYS' DISTRICT AND REGIONAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Subtitle

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REGIONAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

WHEREAS, the Manila High School Lions boys' basketball team, made up of 15 players, won both the 3A District and the Regional Tournament under the leadership of head coach Lee Wimberley and Assistant Coach John Deaton; and

WHEREAS, the Lions defeated Rivercrest Colts 62-59 in the 3A-3 District Tournament, which was the first tournament title win for the Lions since its 2001-2002 season; and

WHEREAS, the Lions defeated the Flippin Bobcats 37-36 in the semifinals and went on to defeat the Valley Springs Tigers 56-54, bringing home the 3A Region 3 Tournament title; and

WHEREAS, this year's all-conference team includes players Thomas Davis, Kyle Joyner, Matthew May, and Caleb Reinhart; and

WHEREAS, after the Lions won the 3-A Regional 3 Tournament Title, head coach Lee Wimberley said, "It's not possible for me to be prouder of a team than I am of this one.",



NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the House of Representatives of the Ninetieth General Assembly congratulates the Manila High School Lions boys' basketball team for its victories at the 3A-3 District Tournament and the 3A Region 3 Tournament.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon its adoption, a copy of this resolution be provided to head coach Lee Wimberley by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.