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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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Subtitle

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WHEREAS, the 2019 Marion High School Patriots boys basketball team claimed their first-ever Class 5A state championship trophy after the Patriots defeated the Hall High School Warriors 57-54 in overtime at the Bank OZK Arena in Hot Springs, Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, the Patriots had an overall record of 25-3 and were 24-0 against Arkansas teams; and

WHEREAS, the Patriots were led by senior guard Keyshawn Woods, who finished the game with 18 points, 3 rebounds, 2 assists, and 1 steal, which earned him Most Valuable Player honors; and

WHEREAS, according to MaxPreps, the Patriots were ranked as high as #24 in the country; and

WHEREAS, the Patriots reached #4 on SportsCenter's "Top 10 Plays" list on January 9, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Patriots were well-led and coached by head coach David Clark, assistant coach Ronald Talley, and assistant coach Brandon Mayweather,



NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the House of Representatives congratulate the members of the Marion High School Patriots basketball team on winning the 2019 Class 5A State Championship.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution shall be presented to head coach David Clark by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.