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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville men's Arkansas Razorbacks basketball team qualified for the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Tournament, held this year in Indianapolis, Indiana, and for the first time in twenty-six (26) years, the team made it all the way to the Elite Eight; and

WHEREAS, the Razorbacks persevered through what many consider the toughest season in college sports to qualify for the national tournament, and the men were led by six (6) Arkansans, guard Davonte "Devo" Davis, guard Moses Moody, forward Jaylin Williams, guard Khalen Robinson, forward Connor Vanover, and forward Ethan Henderson, whose contributions and efforts during the regular season and tournament were exceptional; and

WHEREAS, the rest of the talented lineup includes Justin Smith, JD Notae, Vance Jackson, Jr., Jalen Tate, Emeka Obukwelu, Kamani Johnson, Abayomi "Baybe" Iyiola, and Bryson Morehead; and



WHEREAS, following victories against the Colgate Raiders in the first round with a score of 85-68 and the Texas Tech Red Raiders in the second round with a score of 68-66, the Razorbacks faced the Oral Roberts Golden Eagles in the Sweet Sixteen, besting them by two (2) points for a final score of 72-70, and qualifying the team for the Elite Eight and a matchup with the Baylor Bears, the No. 1 seed in the tournament, eventual national champion, and a team that the Razorbacks nearly pushed out of the competition; and

WHEREAS, the team, excellent Coach Eric Musselman, and the staff have brought well-deserved national attention to Arkansas and excited the entire state with their efforts,

NOW THEREFORE,

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

THAT the House of Representatives congratulate Coach Eric Musselman and the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville men's Razorbacks basketball team for their success in the regular season and in the NCAA tournament and celebrate their accomplishments.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution be provided to Coach Eric Musselman by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.