

House Resolution No. 2158

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State high school athletic programs that truly embody the highest standards of sportsmanship, teamwork, training, and determination throughout the competitive season; and

Whereas, Harrisburg High School sponsors a boys basketball program whose 2007-2008 team finished the season with a 28-3 win-loss record and earned the title of Class 2 state champions; and

Whereas, the Bulldogs boys basketball team captured the Class 2 trophy on March 15, 2008, in Mizzou Arena by defeating the South Iron Panthers by a score of 51-44; and

Whereas, the Harrisburg Bulldogs also enjoyed the distinct pleasure of garnering an undefeated 9-0 win-loss record in the Mid-Missouri Conference; and

Whereas, astutely guided throughout the season by Head Coach Steve Combs, the Bulldogs players who reprised the school's 2006 state championship status included Brett Beutenmiller, Mason Hardin, Austin Heuer, Tyler Hudlow, Josh Kroese, Max Manning, Taylor Perrigo, Tyler Petersheim, Keegan Peterson, Sam Purdy, Tyler Rasmussen, Corey Sublett, Josh Taylor, Cory Via, and Frank Wanner; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative actions in order to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of such outstanding Missouri high school sports teams as the Harrisburg boys basketball Bulldogs:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to applaud the season-long accomplishments associated with the Harrisburg boys basketball Bulldogs and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon becoming the 2007-2008 Class 2 state champions; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Harrisburg High School boys basketball program.

Offered by _____
Representative Paul Quinn
District No. 9

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2158, adopted April 23, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker