

By: Representatives Weathersby, Barnett  
(92nd), Holloway, Hudson, Moak, Nettles,  
Green, Ketchings, Middleton, Rotenberry, West

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 51

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE COPIAH-LINCOLN  
2 COMMUNITY COLLEGE LADY WOLVES BASKETBALL TEAM FOR THEIR  
3 OUTSTANDING 2001-2002 SEASON AND FOR WINNING THE MISSISSIPPI  
4 ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY AND JUNIOR COLLEGES (MACJC) STATE  
5 CHAMPIONSHIP AND THE NATIONAL JUNIOR COLLEGE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION  
6 (NJCAA) REGION 23 CHAMPIONSHIP.

7 WHEREAS, the Copenh-Lincoln Community College Lady Wolves  
8 Basketball Team finished the 2001-2002 season with a remarkable  
9 record of 26 wins and only two losses; and

10 WHEREAS, the Copenh-Lincoln Community College Lady Wolves won  
11 the 2002 MACJC State Championship and the 2002 NJCAA Region 23  
12 Championship; and

13 WHEREAS, this Championship Team includes: Gwen Smith, Ayme  
14 Beeson, Monica Townsend, Alexya Irvin, Lindsay Altman, Sherika  
15 Harried, Tiana Burns, Nikki Blakely, Mindy Livaudais, Roberta  
16 Johnson, Laurie Ann Davi, Christy Brown, Shaquita Smith and Hope  
17 Mason; and

18 WHEREAS, the Lady Wolves have been superbly coached and  
19 inspired by Head Coach Gwyn Young, Assistant Coaches, Bill  
20 McGuire, Dewayne Middleton, Lane Young and Chip Smith, who have  
21 broadened the players' knowledge of the game and refined their  
22 skills in execution; and

23 WHEREAS, in addition, the Lady Wolves have been supported in  
24 all their athletic endeavors by Athletic Trainer Rob Steele and  
25 Manager Shalonda Wyatt; and

26 WHEREAS, the Lady Wolves Basketball Team has also been  
27 greatly encouraged by Copenh-Lincoln Community College's  
28 President, Dr. Howell Garner; and



29           WHEREAS, the Lady Wolves have developed a winning attitude  
30 and cooperative spirit, and their activities and attitude reflect  
31 great honor upon Copiah-Lincoln Community College; and

32           WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives of  
33 the State of Mississippi to recognize and commend excellence,  
34 especially when evidenced by the young people of our state, who  
35 are its future:

36           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
37 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we commend and  
38 congratulate the Copiah-Lincoln Community College Lady Wolves  
39 Basketball Team and their coaches, Head Coach Gwyn Young,  
40 Assistant Coaches, Bill McGuire, Dewayne Middleton, Lane Young and  
41 Chip Smith, for their phenomenal 2001-2002 season, for winning the  
42 MACJC State Championship, for winning the NJCAA Region 23  
43 Championship and for displaying tireless devotion to their  
44 athletic endeavors.

45           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
46 furnished to Dr. Howell Garner, Head Coach Gwyn Young, Assistant  
47 Coaches Bill McGuire, Dewayne Middleton, Lane Young and Chip Smith  
48 and to members of the Capitol Press Corps.

