By: Senator(s) Caughman, Barnett, Jackson (32nd)

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 610

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE 2015-2016 FLORENCE HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY COED CHEERLEADERS AND COACH 3 WHITNEY ALLGOOD FOR WINNING THE SMALL COED MHSAA STATE

4 CHAMPIONSHIP.

5 WHEREAS, the 2015-2016 Florence High School Varsity Coed

6 Cheerleaders led by Head Coach Whitney Allgood finished an

7 outstanding season by winning their first Small Varsity Coed

8 Mississippi High School Activities Association State Championship;

9 and

10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Whitney Hille Allgood is the new Head Coach for

11 Florence High School Varsity Coed Cheerleading. She has been a

12 high school cheerleading Coach since 2009, and her background

13 includes being the Varsity Co-Captain for Terry High School and

14 three years of All-Stars with Mississippi Cheer Elite. Whitney

15 cheered four years for Delta State University, competed in two

16 National Championships, and was Captain her senior year. She has

17 been Head Instructor for the National Cheerleaders Association for

18 11 years, and was also a competitive Gymnast for eight years and

- 19 has four State Gymnastics Championships. In addition to coaching,
- 20 Whitney judges various competitions; and
- 21 WHEREAS, the results of the team's competition are as
- 22 follows: First Place, Small Varsity Coed, MHSAA State
- 23 Championship, 12-19-15 (1st State Title); First Place, Small
- 24 Varsity Coed, UCA Dixie Championship, 12-5-15; First Place,
- 25 Varsity Coed, Southern Spirit Challenge, Brandon High School,
- 26 11-7-15; First Place, Varsity Coed Advanced, Mississippi State
- 27 Fair, 10-18-15. The Florence High School Coed Squad competed at
- 28 the Universal Cheerleaders Association Beach Club Cheer Camp in
- 29 Gulf Shores, Alabama, this summer. They received All-Superior
- 30 Ribbons and Spirit Sticks throughout the week. The squad also won
- 31 First Place in the Cheer, Second Place in the Extreme Routine, and
- 32 Overall Game Day Champs. The cheerleaders were awarded the
- 33 Traditions Award as well. All ten seniors were selected as All
- 34 Americans, and seven were asked to be a part of the prestigious
- 35 UCA staff; and
- 36 WHEREAS, the Florence High School Varsity Coed Cheerleaders
- 37 Roster is as follows: Seniors: Brooke Dodd, Captain; Danyelle
- 38 Lewis, Co-Captain; Courtney Jamison, Co-Captain; Bailey Turner;
- 39 Brennan Boteler; Emily Daniels; Austyn Holmes; Tre Wright; Jamaal
- 40 Lloyd; Roy Aquilar and Devonte Brown; Juniors: Hope Metz and
- 41 Kennedy Ruff; Sophomores: Victoria Gray; Sydney Abernathy; Emma
- 42 Wickens and Bailey Brantley; and Freshmen Macy Kate Greer, Savanna
- 43 Ainsworth; Cydney Claire Ruff and Brianna Mason; and

44	WHEREAS, the mission of the Rankin County School District is
45	to prepare every student with the cognitive and social skills
46	necessary to be productive members of an ever-changing global
47	society; and
48	WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize these
49	student athletes who have brought honor to their school, their
50	community and to the State of Mississippi:
51	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
52	MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
53	we do hereby commend and congratulate the 2015-2016 Florence High
54	School Varsity Coed Cheerleaders and Coach Whitney Allgood for
55	winning the Small Coed Mississippi High School Activities
56	Association State Championship and extend our best wishes to the
57	team, coaches, parents and sponsors for continued success.
58	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
59	Coach Whitney Allgood for the team and Florence Principal Tony
60	Martin, forwarded to the Rankin County Board of Education, and
61	made available to the Capitol Press Corps.