

By: Representative Manning

To: Rules

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 18

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE CHOCTAW  
2 CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL WARRIORS BASKETBALL TEAM FOR ITS OUTSTANDING  
3 1998-1999 SEASON AND FOR WINNING THE STATE 2A CHAMPIONSHIP.

4 WHEREAS, the Choctaw Central High School Warriors Basketball  
5 Team completed the 1998-1999 season with an outstanding 28-9  
6 record, winning the State 2A Championship; and

7 WHEREAS, throughout their season, the Warriors participated  
8 in several tournaments, which included victories at the District  
9 and Regional levels as well as second place in the Meridian  
10 Frazier-Yarborough Invitational Tournament; and

11 WHEREAS, the Warriors were superbly coached and inspired by  
12 Head Coach Walter Wilson and Assistant Coach Henry Bell, Jr., who  
13 have broadened the players knowledge of the game and refined their  
14 skills in execution; and

15 WHEREAS, many individual honors were bestowed among the  
16 players, including the naming of James Denson, Fabian Tubby and  
17 Jackie Stokes to the All-State Team; and

18 WHEREAS, the Warriors have developed a winning and  
19 cooperative spirit and a high degree of sportsmanship, and their  
20 activities and attitude reflect great credit upon the individual  
21 players and their coaches and bring honor to Choctaw Central High  
22 School; and

23 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize  
24 and commend excellence, especially when evidenced by the young  
25 people of our state, who are its future:

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF

27 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby  
28 commend and congratulate the Choctaw Central High School Warriors  
29 Basketball Team and Head Coach Walter Wilson and Assistant Coach  
30 Henry Bell, Jr., for their outstanding 1998-1999 season, for  
31 winning the State 2A Championship and for displaying tireless  
32 devotion to their athletic endeavors.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
34 furnished Choctaw Central High School, Head Coach Walter Wilson  
35 and Assistant Coach Henry Bell, Jr., and members of the Capitol  
36 Press Corps.

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