

By: Representatives Ishee, Barnett (116th),
Broomfield, Creel, Dedeaux, Fredericks,
Guice, Hamilton, Janus, Maples, Peranich,
Pierce, Read, Simpson, Wells-Smith, Zuber

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 110

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE
2 GULF COAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE MEN'S SOCCER TEAM FOR THEIR
3 OUTSTANDING 2002 SEASON AND FOR WINNING THE STATE/REGIONAL 23
4 CHAMPIONSHIP.

5 WHEREAS, the Gulf Coast Community College Men's Soccer Team
6 did very well in state competition this year, winning the
7 State/Region 23 Championship, and advancing to the National Junior
8 College Athletic Association Mid-Southwest District playoffs; and

9 WHEREAS, many individual honors have been bestowed upon
10 various team members in recognition of their fine, dedicated play
11 this season, including the selection of Ryan Ceccorullie, Brent
12 Orr, Jeremiah Noack, and Steve Chisholm to the All-State and
13 All-Region teams, and the naming of Brent Orr as the Most Valuable
14 Player and Kyle Ellis as the Most Improved Player, and the
15 granting of the Kai Thrash Award to Joe McKinney, the Defense
16 Award to Jeremiah Noack, the Offensive Award to Steve Chisholm;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, the Gulf Coast Community College Men's Soccer Team
19 has been well coached and inspired by Coach Barry Thrash, who led
20 the team to its first state championship since being created only
21 five years ago, which is the fastest that any Gulf Coast sports
22 program has won a state title after its creation; and

23 WHEREAS, Coach Thrash has brought additional honor to himself
24 and to the college by being selected as the 2002 Region 23 Coach
25 of the Year and the Mississippi Association of Community and
26 Junior Colleges Coach of the Year; and



27 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Legislature to recognize and
28 commend excellence, especially when evidenced by the students of
29 our state, who are its future:

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
31 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
32 THEREIN, That we commend and congratulate the Gulf Coast Community
33 College Men's Soccer Team and Coach Barry Thrash for their
34 outstanding 2002 season, for winning the State/Regional 23
35 Championship, and for displaying tireless devotion to their
36 athletic endeavors.

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
38 furnished to Gulf Coast Community College and Coach Barry Thrash.

