

By: Representative Harness

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 65

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE PORT GIBSON
2 MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM AND HEAD COACH TERENCE PARKER UPON
3 COMPLETING AN UNDEFEATED SEASON AND WINNING THE 2025-2026
4 CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT TITLE.

5 WHEREAS, the Port Gibson Middle School Basketball Team
6 concluded the 2025-2026 season with an extraordinary and historic
7 accomplishment, finishing the season undefeated and capturing the
8 championship tournament title in dominant fashion; and

9 WHEREAS, this undefeated championship season represents a
10 proud milestone for Port Gibson Middle School and the surrounding
11 community, reflecting the dedication of student-athletes, coaches,
12 families and supporters who stood behind the team throughout the
13 season; and

14 WHEREAS, under the leadership of Head Coach Terence Parker,
15 the team demonstrated discipline, resilience and unity from the
16 opening tip-off of the season to the final buzzer of the
17 championship game, setting a standard of excellence both on and
18 off the court; and



19 WHEREAS, Coach Parker's guidance has produced two
20 championship titles within his three-year tenure, establishing a
21 culture of preparation, accountability and competitive success
22 within the program; and

23 WHEREAS, each contest throughout the season showcased the
24 team's commitment to teamwork, sportsmanship and respect for the
25 game of basketball, with every player embracing his role and
26 contributing to the collective success of the team; and

27 WHEREAS, the undefeated record was earned through countless
28 hours of practice, trust among teammates and a shared belief that
29 sustained effort and unity produce lasting results; and

30 WHEREAS, beyond trophies and accolades, the 2025-2026
31 championship season reflects the character, perseverance and pride
32 of the students of Port Gibson Middle School, who have represented
33 their school and community with honor; and

34 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
35 recognize and commend the achievements of student-athletes who
36 bring distinction to their schools and communities through
37 discipline, teamwork and excellence:

38 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
39 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
40 commend and congratulate the Port Gibson Middle School Basketball
41 Team and Head Coach Terence Parker upon completing an undefeated
42 2025-2026 season and winning the championship tournament title,
43 and extend best wishes for continued success in future seasons.



44 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
45 furnished to Head Coach Terence Parker, to the administration of
46 Port Gibson Middle School and to the members of the Capitol Press
47 Corps.

