

House Resolution 576

By: Representative Ehrhart of the 36th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Hillgrove High School Navy JROTC cadets on their
2 Orienteering Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Hillgrove High School Navy JROTC (NJROTC) has a reputation in the
4 community and throughout this state for strength, determination, and dedication; and

5 WHEREAS, the Hillgrove cadets captured their first national championship, cementing them
6 as the best orienteers from nearly 600 NJROTC units from around the country; 11 of
7 Hillgrove's 14 competitors received medals, all placing in the top five for the two-day
8 competition; and

9 WHEREAS, the Hillgrove team accumulated 480 out of a possible 500 points, well ahead
10 of the second place score of 370; this team has placed four years in a row, with the recent
11 victory being their first national championship win; and

12 WHEREAS, the Hillgrove High School Navy JROTC cadets that competed in the
13 Orienteering Championship in Agua Dulce, California include: Luke Ballentine, Mason
14 Blum, Tristan Campbell, Nadia Daraseng, Zachary Derrrow, Toai Dong, Kade Dorweiler,
15 Keyana Fields, Jacob Gallichio, Jennifer Harnage, Connor Light, Elena Mortensen, Fabian
16 Nguyen, Lucas Schultz, Mary Smith, Elsen Trumble, and Peyton Valencia; and

17 WHEREAS, these fine cadets achieved victory under the guidance of instructors, LCDR
18 Ronald Hojnowksi and ETC (SS) Allen W. Harris; and

19 WHEREAS, these magnificent cadets performed with precision during their events and serve
20 as exceptional role models for all students in the State of Georgia.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend the Hillgrove High School Navy JROTC for its

23 outstanding achievements, extend their sincerest best wishes for continued success in the
24 future.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available to the Hillgrove High
27 School Navy JROTC.