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**HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Westfield
High School football team.

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2 High School football team.

3 *Whereas, The Westfield High School Shamrocks are the*
4 *2016-2017 Class 5A football state champions;*

5 *Whereas, The fifth-ranked Shamrocks (12-2) came into the*
6 *championship game allowing just 14.8 points per game;*

7 *Whereas, Coming into the championship game, the*
8 *Columbus East Olympians (13-2) had been averaging 46.8*
9 *points per game but were held to just 283 yards, with*
10 *Westfield's defense amassing eight tackles for a loss and four*
11 *sacks;*

12 *Whereas, Westfield High School had two crucial defensive*
13 *stops in the second half to defeat No. 4 ranked Columbus*
14 *East High School 16-13 to win its first football state*
15 *championship;*

16 *Whereas, The Shamrocks took a 3-0 lead in the first quarter*
17 *when Will Harrison kicked a 52 yard field goal, setting a*
18 *state finals record;*

19 *Whereas, In addition to their prowess on the field, the*
20 *Shamrocks excel in the classroom as well, maintaining a high*
21 *grade point average while performing many hours of*
22 *community service which included a food drive, a blood*
23 *drive, a fundraiser to fight cancer, and a Special Olympics*
24 *clinic; and*



1 *Whereas, The team's state championship and great season*
2 *are the result of a total team effort, and each member of the*
3 *team, the managers, and the coaching staff should be praised*
4 *for superior performance and team spirit: Therefore,*

5 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives*
6 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,*
7 *the Senate concurring:*

8 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the
9 Westfield High School football team on its Class 5A football state
10 championship and wishes the players continued success in all their
11 future endeavors.

12 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
13 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to each team
14 member, student manager, assistant coach, head coach Jake Gilbert,
15 athletic director Bill Davis, principal Dr. Stacy McGuire, and
16 superintendent Dr. Sherry Grate.

