
HOUSE RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING THE RADFORD HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADING TEAM FOR ITS
OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN BECOMING THE 2012 NATIONAL
CHEERLEADING ASSOCIATION GRAND NATIONAL CHAMPION.

1 WHEREAS, with seven consecutive Hawaii State Championships,
2 seven National Championships in the past twelve years in their
3 division and two Grand National Championships in the past three
4 years, the Radford High School Cheerleading Team has been a
5 dominating force in the realm of competitive cheerleading here
6 in the State of Hawaii and across the United States; and
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8 WHEREAS, the Radford High School Cheerleading Team competed
9 against more than two hundred teams from across the nation,
10 including champion teams from the states of California, Texas,
11 Oklahoma, Indiana, Iowa, Illinois and Alaska, and attained the
12 title of Overall Grand National Champion for the second time in
13 three years; and
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15 WHEREAS, by dedicating countless hours every week to both
16 practice and year-round performances at official school
17 functions and athletic events, the Radford High School
18 Cheerleading Team continually displays unwavering dedication to
19 achieving excellence; and
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21 WHEREAS, Team Captains Ridge Frank, Amber Bookhard, and
22 Kyly Antonio displayed their exemplary leadership abilities in
23 mentoring and guiding teammates, helping them to hone their
24 abilities and develop the skills necessary to become State and
25 National Champions; and
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27 WHEREAS, Radford High School represents a large military
28 community, with the majority of its students being the children
29 of active duty members in military service, many of whom will
30 relocate to different cities and states, never certain of the
31 high school from which they might graduate; and

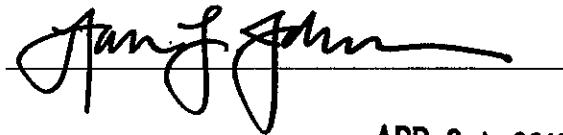


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2 WHEREAS, through commitment and perseverance, members of
3 the Radford High School Cheerleading Team have continually
4 overcome the challenges of belonging to an unpredictable and
5 transient student population and have reached the pinnacle of
6 achievement in the world of competitive cheerleading and, under
7 the guidance and direction of Coaches Bo Frank and Tom Luna,
8 were again able to overcome significant odds and capture the
9 title of 2012 Grand National Champions in Dallas, Texas; and

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11 WHEREAS, the Radford High School Cheerleading Team stands
12 as a testament to the potential of Hawaii's public school
13 students and educators, as proof that with hard work, devotion
14 and passion come unimaginable rewards, as an example for peers
15 and classmates to emulate and aspire to, as a stunning
16 illustration of athleticism, and as an enduring and endearing
17 object of state prestige and school pride; now, therefore,

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19 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
20 Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
21 of 2012, that this body hereby commends the members of the
22 Radford High School Cheerleading Team on attaining the title of
23 2012 Grand National Champions at the National Cheerleading
24 Association Senior and Junior High School National Championships
25 in Dallas, Texas, and wishes them continued success in all of
26 their future endeavors.

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