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# HOUSE RESOLUTION

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## A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring West Philadelphia Catholic High School's 2010 football  
2 team for winning the 2010 Pennsylvania Interscholastic  
3 Athletic Association Class AA State Football Championship and  
4 for being named the *Philadelphia Inquirer's* 2010 Southeastern  
5 Pennsylvania Football Team of the Year.

6 WHEREAS, Two years after a crushing, double-overtime 35-34  
7 loss to Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association  
8 District 10's Wilmington Area High School in 2008, West  
9 Philadelphia Catholic High School returned to Hershey Stadium  
10 this past December 18 and gained redemption by defeating  
11 District 7's South Fayette High School 50-14; and

12 WHEREAS, The Burrs' season began with only one victory in its  
13 first three games, but it embarked on a 12-game winning streak  
14 that was capped with the program's first PIAA Class AA State  
15 Championship; and

16 WHEREAS, During this marvelous season, the Burrs outscored  
17 foes by 500-108, and, in its seven playoff games, they won by

1 263-56; and

2 WHEREAS, With 1,556 rushing yards and 18 touchdowns, tailback  
3 Brandon Hollomon spurred an offense that averaged 36.5 points  
4 per game, and fellow backs Joshua Mathis, with 984 yards, and  
5 sophomore David Williams, with 924 yards, nearly eclipsed the  
6 1,000 seasonal yards mark; and

7 WHEREAS, Quarterback Anthony Reid had an impressive season by  
8 throwing for 1,431 yards and scoring 15 touchdowns; and

9 WHEREAS, West's fast offensive line contributed to these  
10 awesome statistics, and its powerful defense kept opponents from  
11 putting many points on the board, especially in the Championship  
12 where it held a team averaging 46 points per game to a mere 14  
13 points; and

14 WHEREAS, Because of its exceptional season, the 2010 West  
15 Philadelphia Catholic High School football team was named the  
16 2010 Southeastern Pennsylvania Football Team of the Year by the  
17 *Philadelphia Inquirer*; and

18 WHEREAS, Team members are:

19 Captains: Brandon Hollomon, Jim Lynch, Anthony McDonnaugh  
20 and Anthony Reid;

21 Seniors: Martis Black, Kevin Burns, Albert Campbell, Chris  
22 Coe, Acie Frames, Kevauhn Gayle, Dion Givens, Brandon Hollomon,  
23 Tyree Hughes, Dar-ray Jubilee, Quran Kent, Rodney Linder, Jim  
24 Lynch, Joshua Mathis, Anthony McDonnaugh, Kris Padgett, Marcus  
25 Randall, Anthony Reid, Dave Sherman, Jaelen Strong-Rankin, Ike  
26 Ugwu, Leroy Wesley and Pharon Young;

27 Juniors: Corey Blakey, Tim Burns, Brandon Calhoun, Nacir  
28 Carter, Keith Davis, Jr., Rashee Davis, Dom DiGalbo, Damien  
29 Fabien, Devante Ford, Tristin Freeman, Tyler Gallashaw, Jeremy  
30 Garnett, Marquise Gordon, Christian Hawkins, Ulus Jorden, Mike

1 Makor, Kevin Malone, Bruce Mapp, Alex Murray, Clayvohn Pickens,  
2 Jaleel Reed, Kenneth Russell, Blaize Schieler, Jalil Shoatz,  
3 Jeffrey Thomas, T. J. Waters and Eric Wyant; and

4 Sophomores: Devyn Allen, Shahyodd Chavis, Joshua Gibbs,  
5 Najee Goode, Shaquile James, Rich Pappas, Shawn Phillips, Eric  
6 Rutherford, James Savage, Marlon Steele, Dominic Toney, David  
7 Williams and Ronald Womack; and

8 WHEREAS, Coaches are:

9 Head Coach: Brian Fluck;

10 Assistant Coaches: Dave Bertoline, John Costello, Albie  
11 Crosby, David Fitzgerald, Dennis Fluck, Frank McNally, Terence  
12 Moody, John Perilli, Eric Rutherford, Virgil Sheppard, Lincoln  
13 Townsend, Jr., Lincoln Townsend, Sr., Ronald Turner, Brian  
14 Weathers; and

15 Trainer: Kyle Sheaffer; and

16 WHEREAS, This outstanding team and its coaches are worthy of  
17 recognition by this august body; therefore be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor West  
19 Philadelphia Catholic High School's 2010 football team for  
20 winning the 2010 Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic  
21 Association Class AA State Football Championship and for being  
22 named the *Philadelphia Inquirer's* 2010 Southeastern Pennsylvania  
23 Football Team of the Year.