

ENROLLED SENATE
RESOLUTION NO. 18

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A Resolution congratulating the Edmond Santa Fe High School Wolves boys basketball team for winning the Class 6A state boys basketball championship; commending the team for being the first Edmond public school to win a major championship since 1993 and doing so with a starting lineup of juniors; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, the Edmond Santa Fe Wolves won the final game of the Class 6A state high school boys basketball playoffs by defeating the Bartlesville High School Bruins, 40-37, at the Mabee Center on the campus of Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, the last time an Edmond public school won a high school basketball championship in 1993, the championship school, Edmond Memorial, had an assistant basketball coach, Guy Hardaker, who is today the head basketball coach at Edmond Santa Fe High School; and

WHEREAS, Edmond Santa Fe's boys basketball team was repeatedly advised to wait until next year before dreaming of a state championship when their starting lineup of five juniors would be seniors with an extra year of experience; and

WHEREAS, the Edmond Santa Fe Wolves finished the season with a 25-4 record with tourney victories over fourth-ranked Putnam City North, first-ranked Putnam City, and second-ranked Bartlesville.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 50TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate congratulates the Edmond Santa Fe High School Wolves boys basketball team for winning the Class 6A state boys basketball championship.

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate commends the Edmond Santa Fe High School Wolves boys basketball team for winning the first major title won by any of Edmond's three public high schools since they were divided into the three schools in 1993 and for accomplishing this feat with a starting lineup of five juniors.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Edmond Santa Fe High School Athletic Director Mark Mades and Boys Head Basketball Coach Guy Hardaker.

Adopted by the Senate the 12th day of April, 2005.

Presiding Officer of the Senate