**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND THE RIVER BLUFF HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY CHEER SQUAD, COACHES, AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS FOR A SUCCESSFUL SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THEM FOR CAPTURING THE SOUTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE GAMEDAY INVITATIONAL CLASS AAAAA CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

Whereas, the South Carolina House of Representatives was pleased to learn that the members of the River Bluff High cheer squad took home the trophy at the South Carolina High School League (SCHSL) Gameday Invitational at the University of South Carolina Aiken Convocation Center on January 25, 2020; and

Whereas, for the second year in a row, the River Bluff Lady Gators’ cheer squad has taken top honors against a strong field of competitors, besting Socastee High School; and

Whereas, in addition to winning the class AAAAA division of the SCHSL Gameday Invitational, the Lady Gators captured the award for best fight song and posted the highest score in both preliminaries and the finals; and

Whereas, senior captains Kayla Coppage, Carlyn Gibbs, and Camdyn Ritchie led River Bluff through a season of superior competition performances; and

Whereas, the Lady Gators had high expectations coming into the state invitational, having placed third at the SCHSL AAAAA Competitive Cheer Finals in November; and

Whereas, Head Coach Koren Haney and her skilled coaching assistants assembled yet again an impressive squad of athletes to take the floor and impress the judges with their precision, grace, and strength in the execution of their choreography involving jumps, stunts, and tumbling that captured first place; and

Whereas, South Carolina House of Representatives appreciates the renewed pride and recognition that the River Bluff cheer squad has brought to their school and their community, and the members look to hear of the continued success of these fine athletes. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, recognize and commend the River Bluff High School varsity cheer squad, coaches, and school officials for a successful season and congratulate them for capturing the South Carolina High School League Gameday Invitational Class AAAAA Championship title.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Dr. Lucas C. Clamp, Principal, and Coach Koren Haney.

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