

1 State of Arkansas  
2 94th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2023

HR 1069

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5 By: Representative Steimel

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 TO COMMEND THE MAMMOTH SPRING HIGH SCHOOL LADY BEARS  
9 TEAM FOR WINNING THE 2023 CLASS 1A GIRLS BASKETBALL  
10 STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

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13 **Subtitle**

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15 LADY BEARS TEAM FOR WINNING THE 2023  
16 CLASS 1A GIRLS BASKETBALL STATE  
17 CHAMPIONSHIP.

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19 WHEREAS, on March 10, 2023, the Mammoth Spring High School Lady Bears  
20 Team won the 2023 Class 1A Girls Basketball State Championship at the Bank  
21 OZK Arena in Hot Springs, Arkansas; and

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23 WHEREAS, the Mammoth Spring High School Lady Bears Team won their first  
24 girls basketball state championship with a score of forty-five (45) to  
25 thirty-six (36) over Norfolk High School; and

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27 WHEREAS, the Mammoth Spring High School Lady Bears Team experienced a  
28 season of many successes, winning the Battle of the Border Tournament, the  
29 Lady Blackhawk Holiday Invitational, the George Kell Hall of Fame Classic,  
30 the 1A – 3 Conference Tournament, the 1A – 3 District Tournament, and the  
31 Thayer Winter Classic 1A – 2 Regional Championship; and

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33 WHEREAS, the Mammoth Spring High School Lady Bears Team's conference  
34 record was eight (8) wins and zero (0) losses and their season record was  
35 thirty-eight (38) wins and four (4) losses; and

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1           WHEREAS, Brynn Washam was named the Most Valuable Player for the 2023  
2 Class 1A Girls Basketball State Championship and Adrianna Corbett led all  
3 players in the championship game with fourteen (14) points and seven (7)  
4 rebounds; and

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6           WHEREAS, the Mammoth Spring High School Lady Bears Team is coached by  
7 Head Coach Scott Small; and

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9           WHEREAS, the Mammoth Spring High School Lady Bears Team Coach Small  
10 stated "Just to see them battle adversity day in and day out and see them go  
11 play 4A, 5A, 3A - I think we had one 1A school that wasn't a conference game  
12 on our schedule of the 42 they were all bigger schools than us - just to put  
13 them through the wringer and to have them be on board, I think that's the  
14 biggest thing",

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16 NOW THEREFORE,

17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL  
18 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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20           THAT the House of Representatives recognize the Mammoth Spring High  
21 School Lady Bears Basketball Team for winning the 2023 Class 1A Girls  
22 Basketball State Championship.

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24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution shall be  
25 provided to Head Coach Small by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.