

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2015-4616, by Representative Fagan

1 WHEREAS, It is the policy of the Washington State House of  
2 Representatives to recognize the extraordinary accomplishments of  
3 high school students and athletes; and

4 WHEREAS, The Colton High School Wildcats girls' basketball team  
5 won the title of Washington state streak champions for having the  
6 all-time longest winning streak in Washington girls' basketball; and

7 WHEREAS, The team beat the previous record for the most  
8 consecutive wins after 57 repeated victories, and has since stretched  
9 their winning streak to 59 consecutive victories; and

10 WHEREAS, The team's winning streak stretched over three seasons  
11 with three different teams; and

12 WHEREAS, The team has won eight consecutive District 9 League  
13 titles and the last six State 1B titles; and

14 WHEREAS, The team's resilience, hard work, and talent serve as an  
15 example to their fellow peers at Colton High School and to student  
16 athletes throughout Washington; and

17 WHEREAS, The devotion of these female athletes to their sport and  
18 teammates has contributed to their overall success in their division;  
19 and

20 WHEREAS, The dedication and support of Colton High School  
21 Wildcats coaches Clark Vining and Ben Emerson have helped lead the  
22 team to victory for multiple seasons; and

1       WHEREAS, this body recognizes the athletic achievements of all of  
2 Washington's students;

3       NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington State House  
4 of Representatives honor the Colton High School Wildcats girls'  
5 basketball team, whose commitment to the team, exceptional work  
6 ethic, and athletic achievements make them admirable holders of the  
7 all-time longest winning-streak record; and

8       BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
9 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of  
10 Representatives to the Colton High School Wildcats girls' basketball  
11 team, and to its team managers and coaches.

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