

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;
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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

23 WHEREAS, this body recognizes the athletic achievements of all of
24 Washington's students;

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

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
31 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of
32 Representatives to the Colton High School Wildcats girls' basketball
33 team, and to its team managers and coaches.
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1 I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of
2 Resolution 4616 adopted by the House of Representatives
3 February 20, 2015
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Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk