



# State of Tennessee

## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 708

By Representative Doss

and

Senator Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend the E. O. Coffman Middle School Lady Panthers basketball team on their successful season.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to specially honor and commend those successful athletic teams who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this state; and

WHEREAS, the E. O. Coffman Middle School Lady Panthers basketball team achieved an extraordinary level of success during the 2013 season; after finishing the season with a winning 20-2 record, the Lady Panthers won both the TMSAA 2A Area Championship and the TMSAA 2A State Sectionals Championship; and

WHEREAS, championships are achieved only through hard work, dedication, and the ability to work together as a team and excel with a cooperative spirit; this group of young women exhibited those characteristics during each and every game of their championship season; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Lady Panthers have represented their community in fine fashion, displaying peerless character both on and off the court; and

WHEREAS, the members of this unparalleled team include: Kenzie Doss, Macy Black, Reily Brazier, Ceterria Wilson, Maci Birdyshaw, Tasha Kilburn, Kenedy Holt, Heather Holman, Gracie Judkins, Abby Smith, Tesia Christian, Kylie Rosson, and Jannia Bowden; and

WHEREAS, the team enjoyed the tremendous coaching talents of Head Coach Nicky Hartsfield and Assistant Coaches Wendi Scott and Barry Brazier; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud such an outstanding athletic team; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate the 2013 E. O. Coffman Middle School Lady Panthers basketball team upon winning both their area and state sectional championships and extend to them our best wishes for continued success in their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: February 27, 2014

  
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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 2014

  
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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR