



State of Tennessee

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 152

By Representative Timothy Hill

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Robert Coffey of the Johnson County Middle School Robotics Team 3075B.

WHEREAS, this legislative body is pleased to recognize those outstanding and gifted students of our state who bring honor to Tennessee as members of academic teams and who act as ambassadors for our state through successful academic competition; and

WHEREAS, Robert Coffey of the Johnson County Middle School Robotics Team 3075B, the JoCo Robos, is especially deserving of acclaim, having recently met with great success at the VEX Worlds 2017 competition in Louisville, Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, VEX Worlds 2017 brought together top robotics teams to celebrate their accomplishments and engage in competition with other top teams from around the world; the JoCo Robos from Johnson County Middle School competed against teams from the United States as well as Singapore, Colombia, Kazakhstan, Taiwan, Mexico, South Korea, China, and Paraguay; and

WHEREAS, the JoCo Robos brought home the Create Award for the Opportunity Division; one of the top awards at the competition, the Create Award is given to the team whose robot design incorporates a creative engineering solution to the design challenges of this season's game; and

WHEREAS, one of seven members of the JoCo Robos, Robert Coffey's team responsibilities included serving as programmer and team scout; he scouted other teams for alliance partners as well as opponent teams for weaknesses and reported the details to his team members prior to a match; and

WHEREAS, the noteworthy achievement of the members of the Johnson County Middle School Robotics Team 3075B is a tremendous source of pride for their community and the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the Robotics team members' dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and commend Robert Coffey of the Johnson County Middle School Robotics Team 3075B on his recent success at the VEX Worlds 2017 competition and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success.

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: May 5, 2017


BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES