SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1839

A Resolution congratulating the Tribune-Greeley County High School girls and boys cross country teams for winning the 2010 Class 1A State Cross Country Championships.

WHEREAS, Both the Tribune-Greeley County High School girls and boys cross country teams won the 2010 Kansas State High School Activities Association Class 1A State Cross Country Championships at the Wamego Country Club in Wamego; and

WHEREAS, Tribune-Greeley County's sweep of the 2010 championships was the latest chapter in the school's rich history of cross country success. The Jackrabbits had previously won the 1979, 1980, 2006 and 2009 state titles, while the Lady Jackrabbits had previously won the 2006, 2008 and 2009 state titles; and

WHEREAS, The members of the girls team are Carly Robertson, Kennedy Schneider, Monica Veleta and Kelli Holthaus; and

WHEREAS, The members of the boys team are Clay Robertson, Ralph Stone, Troy Wineinger, Isaiah Stone and Elijah Stone. The head coach for both teams is Greg Cook, whose instruction and guidance have been instrumental in developing a winning tradition at the school; and

WHEREAS, State Medalists for the girls team include: Kennedy Schneider - 2nd, Carly Robertson - 11th and Kelli Holthaus - 18th; and

WHEREAS, State Medalists for the boys team include: Troy Wineinger - 2nd and Clay Robertson - 16th; and

WHEREAS, Clay Robertson, Carly Robertson and Kennedy Schneider were named by the Kansas Cross Country and Track and Field Coaches Association to the Academic All-State Cross Country team. To be eligible for the honor, student-athletes must be juniors or seniors, finish in the top 30 at State Cross Country and have an unweighted GPA of 3.75 or higher; and

WHEREAS, Cross country is one of the more grueling high school sports, requiring these great athletes to dedicate many hours to training: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That both the Tribune-Greeley County High School girls and boys cross country teams and Coach Greg Cook be congratulated for winning the 2010 Kansas State High School Activities Association Class 1A State Cross Country Championships. Their hard work and dedication should serve as an example for future cross country runners. We extend our best wishes for their continued success and happiness in the future; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of the Senate shall send an enrolled copy of this resolution to Senator Ostmeyer.

Senate Resolution No. 1839 was sponsored by Senator Ralph Ostmeyer.

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