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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Webster-Thomas High School Girls Cross Country Team and Coach Jim Brunswick upon the occasion of winning the Section V Class A Sectional Championship

WHEREAS, Athletic competition enhances the moral and physical development of the young people of this State, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the value of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, imparting a desire for success and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, Excellence and success in competitive sports can be achieved only through strenuous practice, team play and team spirit, nurtured by dedicated coaching and strategic planning; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Webster-Thomas High School Girls Cross Country Team and Coach Jim Brunswick upon the occasion of winning the Section V Class A Sectional Championship; and

WHEREAS, The Webster-Thomas High School Girls Cross Country Team was victorious against a competitive field to capture the Section V Class A Sectional Championship; and

WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team is due in great part to the efforts of Coach Jim Brunswick and Assistant Coaches Andrew Volpe and Kevin McLaughlin, skilled and inspirational tutors, respected for their ability to develop potential into excellence; and

WHEREAS, The team's overall record is outstanding, and the team members were loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the Webster-Thomas High School Girls Cross Country Team, from the opening game of the season to participation in the championship, were a sisterhood of athletic ability, of good sports-

manship, of honor, and of scholarship, demonstrating that these team players are second to none; and

WHEREAS, Athletically and academically, the team members have proven themselves to be an unbeatable combination of talents, reflecting favorably on their school; and

WHEREAS, Coach Jim Brunswick has done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of cooperation, pride and accomplishment, and Coach Jim Brunswick and these outstanding athletes have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the Webster-Thomas High School Girls Cross Country Team;

its members: Claire Ashton, Kira Ashton, Sarah Ball, Alexandra Carpenter, Isabelle Cirulli, Dakota Dugan, Julia Gabalski, Sarah Hurlbut,

Brittany Mechler, Tiffany Miller, Kelly O'Hara, Megan Richardson, Elizabeth Songer, Daria Stacy, Abigail Valachovic, Amanda Vestri, Alena

Wisniewski, Alexis Wright, and Taylor Zeigler; and Head Coach Jim Brunswick and Assistant Coaches Andrew Volpe and Kevin McLaughlin on their outstanding season and overall team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Webster-Thomas High School Girls Cross Country Team,

Coach Jim Brunswick and Assistant Coaches Andrea Volpe and Kevin McLaughlin.