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Congratulations extended to Chicago Public School 2017 Sports and Academic Champions

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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR CITY OF CHICAGO

RAHM EMANUEL

May 24, 2017

TO THE HONORABLE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith, together with Alderman Brookins, a congratulatory resolution concerning Chicago Public School Sports and Academic Champions.

Your favorable consideration of this resolution will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Mayor



A resolution

of the City of Chicago, Illinois



Presented by Mayor Rahm Emanuel

Alderman Howard Brookins, Jr. and

on May 24, 2017

Whereas. Chicago Public Schools offers students opportunities to take part in a wide variety of athletic and academic competitions to promote and test their intellectual development and athletic skills; and

WHEREAS, Many of our diverse, falented, and hard-working students have excelled in these competitions; and

WHEREAS, In the Class 2A IHSA basketball tournament, Orr High School students Demarte J. Bell, Kevon J. Crittle, Raekwon Drake, Alexander X. Flute, Christian J. Gilkey, Brian M. Hernandez, Larry D. Johnson, Tyronn P. Mosley, Emanuel M. Oneal, Shanklar S. Rodgers, Dannie Smith, Samuel A. Williams and Shomari A. Wilson, backed by Coach Louis Adams, won the state championship, and

WHEREAS, In the Class 3A IHSA basketball fournament, Morgan Park High School students Nimari K. Burnett, Cameron Burrell, Romelo M. Burrell, Quincy A. Dillard, Quam Dosunmu, Kenyon Duling, Deandre Freeman, Lenell, D. Henry, Cameron Irvin, Lamond C. Johnson, Tavaris P. McCullough and Tamell S. Pearson, backed by Coach Nick Irvin, won the state championship; and

WHEREAS, In the Class 4A IHSA basketball tournament; Whitney Young High School students Emeka Anosike, Myles Baker, Tyler Beard, Craig D. Beaudion, Justin M. Boyd, Xavier Castaneda, Derrick Faulkner, Michael S. Feigen, Javon J. Freeman, Jalen C. Frizell, Keenan D. Jones, Jake Kosakowski, Sangolay M. Njie, Solomon I. Oraegbu, Justin L. Stovall and Lucas Williamson, backed by Coach Tyrone Slaughter, won the state championship; and

WHEREAS, In the IHSA state wrestling championships, Washington High School student We Rachal won the Class 2A, 132-pound championship; and

WHEREAS, The Academic Decathlon competition tests student teams on various subjects, including Art, Economics, Music; Language Arts and Literature, Mathematics, Science, and Social Science, as well as proficiency in Speech, Interview, and Essay writing. Coached by Julienne Au; Whitney-Young High School students Anna Lee; Arek Adams, Cristina Cass, Johnathan Marek, Luke Kensik, Patrick Timlin, Sammy Montalvo, Veronica Garklavs and Victoria Xie won the Academic Decathlon City Championship. Also coached



by Julienne Au, Whitney Young High school students Anna Lee, Arek Adams, Aryann-Mei Cristina Cass Jack Myer, Johnathan Marek, Joshua Tabuena, Kamau Stewart Luke Kensik, Patrick Timlin, Rachel Clendenning, Sammy Montalvo, Veronica Garklavs and Victoria Xie won the 2017 U.S. Academic Decathlon State of Illinois Competition; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Debate League is a research-based extracurricular program that enables students to excel academically while competing in the largest urban debate league in the Nation. This year the Chicago Debate League won the Urban Debate League. recogned the real Award presented by the National Association of Urban Debate Leagues of the Year Award presented by the National Association of Urban Debate Leagues of the Year Award presented by the National Association of Urban Debate Leagues of the Year Award presented by the National Characteristics and the Chicago Canada Chicago Canada Chicago Canada Chicago Canada Chicago Chicago Canada Chicago C of the Teal Award presented by the Industrial Associationship, under Coach Vince Vinlant addition in the Chicago Debate League City Championship, under Coach Vince Vinlant addition in the Chicago Debate League City Championship, under Coach Vince Vinlant addition in the Chicago Debate League City Championship, under Coach Vince Vinlant addition in the Chicago Debate League City Championship, under Coach Vince Vinlant addition in the Chicago Debate League City Championship and the Chicago Debate City Championship and the Chicago Debate City Championship and the Chicago audinorialistic Chicago Debate League Chy Championship, under Couch Vince Varsity
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WHEREAS, The E.W. Scripps Company Spelling Bee, which is the Nation's largest and longest-running education promotion, helps improve students, overall spelling, increase their iongest-running equication promotion, method improve students, overall spelling, increase mellips word brovides an environment to promote vocabularies, develop correct English usage, and provides an environment of control of the co vocabularies, aevelop correct English usage, una provides un environment in promotes spelling self-esteem, character development and sportsmanship. This year's CPS CityWide Spelling Bee was won by South Loop Elementary student Riya Joshi; and

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WHEREAS, The Academic Chess clubs in nearly 200 elementary and high schools provide many benefits, such as improved memory, increased creativity, emotional development, improved reading skills, enhanced decision making, and strategic thinking. Chicago Public Schools students compete annually in City-wide, State, and National tournaments. Coached by Paul Kash, Whitney Young High School students Nikhil Kalghatgi, Matthew Stevens, Akhil Kalahatai, Deniz Gulecyuz, Ricky Roman, Alex Parkel, Secundino Vazquez, Robert Bitunjac, Kevin Di and Edward Li won 1st Place in the 2017 CPS High School City (Varsity) team competition. Coached by Lauren Tatar, Walter Payton College Prep. students George Figueroa, Chetan Pavuluri, Janko Stojadinovic, Niko Stipanićev and Anthony Roitmnan won 1st Place Junior Varsity in the 2017 CPS High School City (Junior Varsity) team competition; Andy Cao from Skinner North Elementary School won 1st Place in the 2017 CPS K-2 City (Individual); David Chen from Edison Gifted Center won 1st Place in the 2017 CPS'K-4 City (Individual); Avi Kaplan from Decatur Classical School won 1st Place in the 2017 CPS K-6 City (Individual); Neel Jay from Whitney Young Academic Center won 1st Place in the 2017 CPS K-8 City (Individual); Tamyz Fultz, Breanna Shaw and Christina Williams from Earle Elementary School won 3rd Place in the All-Girls National Championship; Elizabeth Coadamon, Izellah Ortiz, Gabby Cisneros, and Samantha Glowacki from Kinzie Elementary School won 2nd Place in the All-Girls National Championship; Yuryrak Chennareddy from Earle Elementary School won 3rd Place in the Super-Nationals K-1; Gunn Kim from Keller Elementary Gifted Magnet School won 3rd Place in the Super-Nationals K-6 Unrated; Nikhil: Kalghatgi, Akhil Kalghathi, and Matthew Stevens from Whitney Young Academic Center won 2nd Place in the Super-Nationals - K-12 Blitz; Taahir Levi from Earle Elementary School won 1st Place in the Super-Nationals - K-3 Blitz - Under 600; and Nikhil Kalghatai and Akhil. Kalahatai from Whitney Young Academic Center won 1st Place in the Super - Nationals -K-12 National Bughouse Championship; and

WHEREAS, The Members of this Chamber are pleased to congratulate all of the members of the Chicago Public Schools teams on their overwhelming success in their fields of competition; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and Members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, assembled this twenty-fourth day of May, 2017, do hereby applicated and congratulate all of these Chicago Public School students on their championship performances; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to each of these exemplary Chicago Public School students as a token of our respect and of our best wishes for a bright and prosperous future.

MAYOR

CITY CLERK