

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 861

By Camper

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Chris Long of the  
2017 Super Bowl Champion Memphis Cowboys  
6U football team.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should specially honor and commend those successful coaches of young athletes, who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such exemplary individual is Chris Long, an assistant coach of the Memphis Cowboys 6U football team, which recently won its league's Super Bowl Championship; and

WHEREAS, as an assistant coach of the Memphis Cowboys 6U football team, Chris Long fostered the ability, teamwork, and perseverance of his players and enabled the team members to become first-rate representatives of their community and the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Memphis Cowboys 6U team are Jeremy Anderson, Cody Bell, Jamill Berry, Kruse Buntyn, Latrell Elliott, Ricky Dumas, Jacob Fitch, Zion Gillum, Quashawn Johnson, Jakhari Jones, Zyion Jones, Elijah Montague, Princeton Sanders, Diego Shack, John Thomas, and Germarione Turner; and

WHEREAS, Coach Long undoubtedly benefited from the aid and support of Head Coach Michael Rhodes and Assistant Coaches Kruse Buntyn, Latrell Elliott, Sr., and John Lott, as well as the team members' families and many fans; and

WHEREAS, thanks to the efforts of Chris Long, the members of the Memphis Cowboys 6U football team etched their names into the annals of Tennessee sports history; their

dedication, determination, work ethic, and talent were all cultivated by Coach Long, and it is most appropriate that we recognize and applaud him on this occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Coach Chris Long upon the Memphis Cowboys 6U football team becoming a Super Bowl Champion and wish him much success in all his 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.