

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 20

By Keisling

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Chris Bartlett upon being inducted into the Clay County Sports Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those gifted athletes, coaches, and administrators who have attained the very pinnacle of sporting achievement; and

WHEREAS, Chris Bartlett is one such athlete, who was recently inducted into the Clay County Sports Hall of Fame in the athletes and coaches division; and

WHEREAS, a two-sport athlete at Celina High School from 1996 to 2000, Mr. Bartlett was one of the school's star players in both basketball and football during that time; and

WHEREAS, as a key member of the Bulldogs basketball team, Chris Bartlett scored 1,394 career points and averaged 12.6 rebounds per game in his final season; selected as the Tri-Lakes Conference MVP of the 1999-2000 season, he was named to the Tri-Lakes Conference All-Freshman team and was 1st Team All-Tri-Lakes Conference; and

WHEREAS, during his basketball career, Mr. Bartlett and his fellow Bulldogs claimed a district championship and region runner-up, advanced to two Class A Mideast Sectional Tournaments, and completed back-to-back 26-win seasons; and

WHEREAS, he made both the District 7-A All-Tournament and Region 4-A All-Tournament teams his junior and senior seasons and was also named the District 7-A Tournament MVP; additionally, he was named a TSWA All-State wideout-running back on the gridiron; and

WHEREAS, Chris Bartlett demonstrated leadership, skill, and athleticism throughout his athletic career, and he should be recognized on this special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Chris Bartlett upon being inducted into the Clay County Sports Hall of Fame and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.