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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 540

Offered March 6, 2006

Commending the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars baseball team.

Patrons—Cline; Senators: Newman and Ruff

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars baseball team captured the 2005 Virginia state championship; and

WHEREAS, the baseball team is composed of 9- and 10-year-old players selected from their regular season teams to form the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars—Daniel Fitzgerald, Chavis Parrish, Jesse Stinnett, Jared Bryant, Chris Grubbs, Cameron Hunt, Dakota Beverley, Michael Story, Casey Brooks, Chase Bryant, Darius Wilson, Reid Bryant, and Jackson Clark—was led by coaches Kevin Bryant and Mike Story and manager Alfred Bryant; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars won the district championship; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars won the state championship and qualified for the world championship tournament where they represented the Commonwealth of Virginia; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars traveled to Auburn, Alabama, to take the field in World Series play; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars performed admirably in first round action against a team representing the state of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars state title was the culmination of hard work and commitment by the players; and

WHEREAS, the championship performance of the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars team is a tribute to the perseverance, talent, and teamwork of the players; the leadership of their coaches; and the support of the parents and the Madison Heights community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars baseball team on its exceptional 2005 season; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Madison Heights Dixie Youth American All-Stars in recognition of its state championship.

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