HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 96

Commending the Rustburg High School girls' volleyball team.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, March 8, 2022

WHEREAS, the Rustburg High School girls' volleyball team won the Virginia High School League Class 3 state championship on November 20, 2021, at the Salem Civic Center; and

WHEREAS, the Rustburg High School Red Devils defeated the Tabb High School Tigers in four sets, 25-15, 25-17, 23-25, and 25-16, to bring home the program's second consecutive state title; and

WHEREAS, after winning the first two sets of the match in commanding fashion, the Rustburg Red Devils conceded a close set before rallying to victory; and

WHEREAS, the Rustburg Red Devils saw stellar play from their veteran leaders, including Eden Bigham, Meah Coles, Delaney Scharnus, Kate Hardie, and Ari Hudson, and their many rising stars, who will look to carry the team's momentum into the future; and

WHEREAS, many of the Rustburg Red Devils have played together since middle school, and their back-to-back championship seasons are a testament to the trust and confidence they have instilled in one another over the years; and

WHEREAS, the success of the Rustburg Red Devils is the result of the hard work and dedication of the student-athletes, the leadership and guidance of their coaches and teachers, and the unwavering support of the entire Rustburg High School community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That the Rustburg High School girls' volleyball team hereby be commended for winning the 2021 Virginia High School League Class 3 state championship; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Kristen Hardie, coach of the Rustburg High School girls' volleyball team, as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for the team's achievements.