HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are pleased to congratulate the Pleasant Plains 8th Grade Girls' Basketball Team on their remarkable 2014-2015 season; and

WHEREAS, In the State championship game on December 17, 2015, the Cardinals of Pleasant Plains faced off against the Panthers of St. Joseph; the Cardinals came out pumped up and ready to play and got out to a quick lead in the first quarter; and

WHEREAS, Caroline Jachino dropped in 7 points in the first quarter for the Cardinals and helped them build a formidable lead; both teams played great defense in the second quarter; in the third quarter, it was Jachino who again sparked the offensive run of the Cardinals with 9 points; and

WHEREAS, The Cardinals closed out the victory with a score of 40-26 and finished their season with a 23-3 record; and

WHEREAS, The Pleasant Plains 8th Grade Girls' Basketball Team won the State Championship and is considered a model for success, setting team records and showing strong moral character; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Cardinals are Beni Harmony, Caroline Jachino, McKayla Ragle, Ali Fraase, Macy Kanllakan, MacKenzie Houser, Maddie Reiser, Heidi Hergenrother, Anna Kanllakan, Emily Long, Jessica Cameron, and McKenna Wise; the coaches are Sarah Wood and Kim Nehrt; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate the members of the Pleasant Plains 8th Grade Girls' Basketball Team on its successful $2014-2015$ season and State Championship victory, and wish them great success in the future; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Pleasant Plains 8th Grade Girls' Basketball Team as well as their coaches as a symbol of our esteem and respect.

