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## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 147**

Offered March 8, 2022

Commending the Hayfield High School boys' basketball team.

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WHEREAS, the Hayfield High School boys' basketball team won the Virginia High School League Region 6C championship in 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Hayfield High School Hawks defeated the Fairfax High School Lions by a score of 82-45 to secure their second consecutive regional title; and

WHEREAS, the Hayfield Hawks led by an eight-point margin at halftime, but ran away with the second half, outscoring the Fairfax Lions 28-3 in the third quarter alone; and

WHEREAS, Hayfield junior David King led the game with 21 points, followed by Braylon Wheeler and Ashton Pratt with 16 and 15 each; and

WHEREAS, the Hayfield Hawks advanced to the Class 6 semifinal of the state tournament on March 7, 2022, as the number five seed and pounded the No. 11 South Lakes Seahawks by a score of 67-48 to earn a spot in the championship game in Richmond; and

WHÊREAS, each member of the Hayfield Hawks—Javon Brown, Sean Burton, Braelen Cage, Juan Henriquez, Daryl Holloway, Greg Jones, David King, Mark Mckenzie, Ryan Payne, Ashton Pratt, Andy Ramirez, Markus Rouse, Colin Souther, Nate Tesfaye, Sky Thompson, and Braylon Wheeler—has contributed throughout the season; and

WHEREAS, the victory is a tribute to the hard work and dedication of all the student-athletes, the leadership and guidance of coaches and staff, and the enthusiastic support of the entire Hayfield High School community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That the Hayfield High School boys' basketball team hereby be commended on winning the Virginia High School League Region 6C championship; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Carlos Poindexter, head coach of the Hayfield High School boys' basketball team, as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for the team's achievements.