

111TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 531

Congratulating the Northwestern University Wildcats on winning the 2009 NCAA women's lacrosse championship, and to commend Northwestern University for its pursuit of athletic and academic excellence.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 11, 2009

Ms. SCHAKOWSKY submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

RESOLUTION

Congratulating the Northwestern University Wildcats on winning the 2009 NCAA women's lacrosse championship, and to commend Northwestern University for its pursuit of athletic and academic excellence.

Whereas the Northwestern women's lacrosse team serves as important role models to young athletes, demonstrating excellence on the athletic field and in the classroom;

Whereas Northwestern defeated North Carolina 21–7 to win the national championship on May 24, 2009;

Whereas Northwestern finished the season with a 23–0 record to win their fifth straight national championship; and

Whereas senior Hannah Nielsen won the Tewaaron Trophy, given to the Nation's top player, and played a vital role

in helping Northwestern to a 23–0 record in 2009, finishing her distinguished career as the Wildcats’ all-time leader in points (398) after becoming the NCAA Division I all-time assist leader with 224: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2 (1) congratulates Northwestern University and
3 its athletes, coaches, faculty, students, administra-
4 tion, and alumni on the winning of the 2009 NCAA
5 women’s lacrosse championship;

6 (2) recognizes and commends Northwest Uni-
7 versity for its pursuit of athletic as well as academic
8 excellence; and

9 (3) directs the Clerk of the House of Represent-
10 atives to make available enrolled copies of this reso-
11 lution to Northwestern University President Henry
12 S. Bienen, Athletic Director James Phillips, and
13 Head Coach Kelly Amonte Hiller for appropriate
14 display.

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