

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 486

Introduced by Meyer, G., 17; Andersen, 49; Clements, 2; Clouse, 37; DeKay, 40; Dorn, 30; Guereca, 7; Hallstrom, 1; Hardin, 48; Murman, 38; Prokop, 27; Quick, 35; Storm, 23.

WHEREAS, the 2026 Nebraska School Activities Association Class C-2 Girls State Basketball Championship was held on March 7, 2026, at Bob Devaney Sports Center in Lincoln, Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, the Pender Lady Pendragons defeated the unbeaten Elkhorn Valley Falcons in the championship game with a score of 63 to 48; and

WHEREAS, Hadley Walsh was the team's leading scorer against Elkhorn Valley with twenty-five points and was perfect at the free throw line for the tournament, making 20 out of 20; and

WHEREAS, Madalyn Dolliver, scored twenty-four points against Elkhorn Valley, including sinking a total of seven three-point baskets, which tied the Class C-2 state tournament record; and

WHEREAS, the Pender Lady Pendragons won the girls state basketball Class C-2 championship in 2023, the Class D-1 championship in 2024, the Class D-1 championship in 2025, and the Class C-2 championship in 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Pender Lady Pendragons became the first team in Nebraska history to win four straight state championships spanning over two classifications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates the Pender Lady Pendragons for winning the 2026 Nebraska School Activities Association Class C-2 Girls State Basketball Championship title and for winning four straight girls basketball championship titles spanning over two classifications.

2. That the Legislature celebrates the excellent coaching skills of Jason Dolliver, for leading the Pender Lady Pendragons to four straight state

tournament championships.

3. That copies of this legislative resolution shall be sent to Luke Hoffman, the principal of Pender Secondary School, and to Jason Dolliver, the coach of the girls basketball team.