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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate wish to
3 congratulate the Crystal Lake South High School boys soccer
4 team, the Gators, on winning the 2023 Illinois High School
5 Association (IHSA) Class 2A State Championship; and

6 WHEREAS, The Gators defeated Peoria Notre Dame High School
7 by a score of 2 to 1 on November 4, 2023 at Hoffman Estates
8 High School, winning their second championship in five years;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, The Gators won their 2nd straight Fox Valley
11 Conference title, the 14th in school history, their 6th
12 straight IHSA Regional title, the 12th in school history,
13 their 3rd IHSA Sectional title, and their 3rd IHSA Super
14 Sectional title; and

15 WHEREAS, The Gators compiled a record of 22 wins, 4
16 losses, and 1 tie on their way to the championship, and these
17 22 wins tie the school record for wins in a season; the team
18 also achieved the 2nd most shutouts in school history with 14
19 and the 2nd most consecutive wins in school history with 12;
20 and

21 WHEREAS, The Gators are led by Head Coach Brian Allen and

1 assistant coaches, Tony Allen, Zane Boettcher, and Adam Gatza;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, The members of the Gators are Nolan Schofield,
4 Chris Slawek, Diego Paguada, Rishi Patel, Steven Smith, Will
5 Prus, Blake Marunde, Nick Prus, Hayden Stone, Ali Ahmed, Nolan
6 Getzinger, Nico Velasco, Francisco Garcia, Pierce Johnson,
7 Zach Vallicelli, Parker Zilm, Dustin Banner, Josh Moreno,
8 Mason Ross, Roberto Lopez, Anthony Pupillo, Garrett Hess,
9 Brendan Lewis, and Dennis Adusah; therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate the
12 Crystal Lake South High School boys soccer team, the Gators,
13 on winning the 2023 Illinois High School Association (IHSA)
14 Class 2A State Championship and wish them many more successful
15 seasons; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
17 presented to the Gators' players and coaches as a symbol of our
18 respect and esteem.