

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6035

A RESOLUTION congratulating Kansas State University on a successful year
in inter-collegiate athletics.

WHEREAS, The Kansas State University Athletic Department has had unprecedented success this year with several major accomplishments including Big XII Title Championships and Big XII Coach of the Year awards in football, men's basketball and baseball; and

WHEREAS, The 2012 Kansas State Wildcats football team captured the Big XII title with a record of 11-2 and a conference record of 8-1. The successful Wildcat football season ended in a berth to the Tostito's Fiesta Bowl. Head Coach, Bill Snyder, was named the Big XII Coach of the Year and under his direction, the Wildcats had their first ever No. 1 ranking in the BCS standings; and

WHEREAS, The 2012-2013 Kansas State men's basketball team won their first Big XII conference title in 36 years. Under Head Coach Bruce Weber, the Wildcats had an impressive 27-8 record overall and a 14-4 record in the Big XII conference. Coach Weber was named this year's Big XII Coach of the Year after guiding the Wildcats through such a successful season; and

WHEREAS, The Kansas State baseball team was also named Big XII conference champions this year. While the team's season is not yet over, they captured the Big XII championship with an overall record of 36-19 and a conference record of 16-8. Head Coach Brad Hill was named Big XII Coach of the Year, making him the third coach from Kansas State University to win that award for the academic year; and

WHEREAS, Kansas State University is the first school in league history to have its football, men's basketball and baseball coaches all win the Big XII Coach of the Year award in the same academic year. This is also only the second time in league history that the same school won the Big XII conference title in football, men's basketball and baseball: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we congratulate Kansas State University on its extraordinary inter-collegiate athletic success this year. This is an historic year for Kansas State Athletics, and we congratulate the school's accomplishments and wish them future success.

House Resolution No. 6035 was sponsored by Representative Sydney Carlin.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.