

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE
STAMFORD HIGH SCHOOL BLACK KNIGHTS ON WINNING THE
CIAC CLASS LL GIRLS BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2016, the Stamford High School Black Knights won the CIAC Class LL girls state basketball championship;

WHEREAS, the team defeated the Greenwich High School Cardinals, 50-45; and

WHEREAS, both teams were making their first appearances in a state final; and

WHEREAS, in order to reach the championship, won the Division Title, the City Championship, and its first FCIAC title since 1979; and

WHEREAS, the team finished the season with a 25-2 record; and

WHEREAS, this victory was achieved because of the excellent coaching of coaches Diane Burns, Curtis Tinnin, Tony Esposito, Samantha Krom, Lauren Beluk, and Lynette Martinez, the hard work of the team, and the support of the parents and the rest of the Stamford High School community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the 29th Board of Representatives that it congratulates the Stamford High School Black Knights on winning the CIAC Class LL Girls Basketball Championship; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that it congratulates all the Black Knights players: Captain Mackenzie Brown, Captain Madison Johnson, Captain Tiana England, Maria Zecena, Marthe Guirand, Camille Martinez, Rosemie Louis, Shanice Silpot, Jadelyn Watkins, Kelly Jagodzinski, Alexa Kellner, Andrea O'Connor, Brooke Kelly, and Tatiana Wright and Managers Lejla Music and Cielo Davilla.

*Approved by the 29th Board of Representatives
This 2nd day of May, 2016*

Randall M. Skigen, President

Annie M. Summerville, Clerk