

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. RES. 232

Congratulating the University of Colorado at Boulder Men's Cross Country team for winning the 2006 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Cross Country Championship.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 12, 2007

Mr. ALLARD (for himself and Mr. SALAZAR) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Congratulating the University of Colorado at Boulder Men's Cross Country team for winning the 2006 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Cross Country Championship.

Whereas, on November 20, 2006, the University of Colorado at Boulder men's cross country team (referred to in this preamble as the "Colorado Buffaloes") won the 2006 National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division I Men's Cross Country National Championship in Terre Haute, Indiana;

Whereas the Colorado Buffaloes team of junior Brent Vaughn, junior Stephen Pifer, senior Erik Heinonen, junior James Strang, and senior Billy Nelson won the

NCAA Cross Country Championships with a score of 94, which was 48 points ahead of their nearest opponent;

Whereas this championship is the Colorado Buffaloes men's cross country team's 3rd national championship and also their 3rd championship in 6 years;

Whereas the Colorado Buffaloes won the Big 12 Conference Championship for the 11th consecutive year and the NCAA Mountain Region Championship for the 4th consecutive year in 2006;

Whereas senior Erik Heinonen and junior Brent Vaughn were named to the United States Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA) All-Academic Men's Team;

Whereas Colorado Buffaloes Head Coach Mark Wetmore was named USTFCCCA Men's Cross Country Coach of the Year for 2006;

Whereas Colorado Buffaloes Head Coach Mark Wetmore has successfully coached the University of Colorado men's and women's cross country teams to top 10 finishes in all of his 12 years as head coach; and

Whereas this championship marks the 23rd national title in the University of Colorado's athletic history and the 2nd championship of 2006: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2 (1) Congratulates the University of Colorado
3 men's cross country team, the Colorado Buffaloes,
4 for winning the 2006 NCAA Division I Men's Cross
5 Country Championship;

1 (2) Recognizes the achievements of all the play-
2 ers, coaches, students, and support staff whose dedi-
3 cation was instrumental in helping the Colorado
4 Buffaloes win the 2006 NCAA Division I Men’s
5 Cross Country Championship; and

6 (3) Respectfully requests the Secretary of the
7 Senate to transmit copies of this resolution to the
8 following for appropriate display—

9 (A) The University of Colorado at Boulder;

10 (B) The President of the University of Col-
11 orado, Hank Brown;

12 (C) The Chancellor of the University of
13 Colorado at Boulder, Dr. G.P. “Bud” Peterson;

14 (D) The Athletic Director of the University
15 of Colorado at Boulder, Mike Bohn; and

16 (E) The Head Coach of The University of
17 Colorado at Boulder men’s cross country team,
18 Mark Wetmore.

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