



2026 South Dakota Legislature

House Commemoration 8017

Introduced by: **Representative Aylward**

1 **A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION commending the Harrisburg Tigers on their 2026**
2 **Class AA state gymnastics championship.**

3 WHEREAS, the Harrisburg Tigers gymnastics team displayed another year of supremacy,
4 again winning the Eastern South Dakota Conference and Metro Conference meets; and

5 WHEREAS, the Harrisburg Tigers gymnastics team's score of 151.4834 secured their
6 second Class AA state gymnastics title; and

7 WHEREAS, outstanding performances in the individual competitions led to first-place
8 finishes for Katelyn Maeschen in the Class AA all around, vault, bars, beam, and floor
9 competitions; a second-place finish for Lilly Gusso in the floor competition; and a third-place
10 finish in the beam competition for Emery Myron; and

11 WHEREAS, Ailee Johnson, Jersy Tryon, Hadley Moody, Jaycie Adams, Laela Vincent,
12 Kennedy Malloy, and Manager Miranda Fokken all made exceptional contributions to the team;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, the team's success was driven by the stalwart coaching of head coach Callie
15 Aylward and assistant coaches Abby Christiansen and Hailey Handevitd;

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the One Hundred First Legislature of the
17 State of South Dakota, that the Harrisburg Tigers gymnastics team is the 2026 Class AA state
18 gymnastics champion.