

## 2020 South Dakota Legislature

## **Senate Commemoration 817**

Introduced by: **Senator** Ernie Otten and **Representatives** Herman Otten and Latterell

1 A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring Lennox Legion Post 174 for winning 2 the State B Legion title.

WHEREAS, the Lennox Legion Post 174 baseball team defeated Redfield for the 2019 State
 B Senior Legion title. After suffering their first loss of the State B Tournament held in Lennox

5 <u>at the hands of Redfield, the Lennox baseball team fought back and managed to beat Redfield</u>

6 Post 92 2-0 in the Championship game; and

WHEREAS, the last time Lennox won the state legion title was in 1993. Before that, it was in 1953. The team worked diligently to accomplish a feat that is not too familiar to Post 174;

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10 WHEREAS, the gentlemen worked hard and never gave up during difficult situations
11 throughout the season. The team had the overwhelming support of the parents to support
12 their perseverance. Head coach Johnny Mike Kirchner expressed how impressed he was with
13 this team and how well they stuck together through thick and thin:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Ninety-Fifth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the Legislature show its congratulations toward the Lennox Legion Post 174 baseball team for their great efforts. They portray a great example of what teamwork can accomplish.