

# Senate Concurrent Resolution 17

Sponsored by Senator GELSER, Representative RAYFIELD

## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Commends Oregon State University Women's Basketball Team on its 2015-2016 season.

## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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2       Whereas Oregon State University (OSU) earned its first official victory in women's basketball  
3 on December 7, 1976; and

4       Whereas the 2015-2016 season will be remembered as another time of notable victories and  
5 achievements for the OSU Women's Basketball Team; and

6       Whereas in 2016, the OSU Women's Basketball Team made the National Collegiate Athletic  
7 Association (NCAA) Women's Final Four for the first time in program history; and

8       Whereas the OSU Women's Basketball Team won consecutive Pacific-12 (Pac-12) regular-season  
9 championships in 2015 and 2016; and

10       Whereas the OSU Women's Basketball Team earned its first ever Pac-12 Tournament champi-  
11 onship in 2016; and

12       Whereas Oregon State University was selected to host the first two rounds of the NCAA Tour-  
13 nament in 2015 and 2016; and

14       Whereas the OSU Women's Basketball Team ended the 2015-2016 season ranked as the number  
15 two team in the nation, according to the Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) coaches  
16 poll; and

17       Whereas OSU Women's Basketball Team guard Jamie Weisner was named an All-American and  
18 Pac-12 Conference Player of the Year in 2016; and

19       Whereas OSU Women's Basketball Team center Ruth Hamblin was named an Academic All-  
20 American and Senior CLASS Award All-American in 2016 and was chosen as Pac-12 Defensive  
21 Player of the Year for the second consecutive season; and

22       Whereas the OSU women's basketball program has embodied standards of high academic and  
23 athletic success, creating a family-friendly environment for fans; and

24       Whereas the OSU women's basketball program has fostered a team culture of integrity, honesty,  
25 high character and grit that sets a sterling example for younger players; now, therefore,

26 **Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:**

27       That we, the members of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly, commend the Oregon State  
28 University Women's Basketball Team's exemplary intercollegiate athletic achievements and per-  
29 formance during the 2015-2016 season. Go Beavs!

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