

**2021 RES-072**  
**CONGRATULATING THE 2021 MCFARLAND HIGH SCHOOL BOYS SOCCER TEAM ON THEIR**  
**WIAA DIVISION 2 STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**

**WHEREAS** the McFarland High School boys soccer team ended their alternate 2020-2021 season (playing in the Spring of 2021 rather than the fall of 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic) with the school's first state championship title for boys soccer; and

**WHEREAS** the Spartans earned the Division 2 title, beating Green Bay Notre Dame at Marian University 6-1, and went undefeated during both regular and post-season play, finishing with a record of 13-0-1; and

**WHEREAS** during the semi-finals the team showed its depth as players off the bench stepped up for players that suffered injuries in the semi-final match and then six players went on to score in the State Championship game which is a new WIAA record; the six goals tied the WIAA record for most goals in a Division 2 Championship; and

**WHEREAS** McFarland won the Rock Valley title in the alternate season led by eight first-team all conference players: junior Zach Nichols, senior Jake Sampson, sophomore Bubba Blair, junior midfielder Kyle Conner, senior defenders Jackson Werwinski, Carter Mrowiec and Kobie Smith and junior goal keeper Matt Schutt; additionally, Mason Brown, a sophomore forward, was on the second team; and

**WHEREAS** Zach Nichols, Jake Sampson, and Matt Schutt were voted onto the WSCA All-State Team; and

**WHEREAS** Zach Nichols was named the Rock Valley Conference co-player of the year and ended his season with fourteen goals and nine assists; and

**WHEREAS** the Spartans valued being a team above all else and had a strong bond that was developed through years of playing together and resulted in a culture of trust. The team was also known for their outstanding sportsmanship and was awarded the WIAAA Sportsmanship award for boys soccer for the second time in three years; and

**WHEREAS** the Spartans were ably led to the title by Coach Brett Ogorzalek.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Dane County Board of Supervisors hereby congratulates Coach Ogorzalek and the entire Spartans boys soccer team on their successful season and Division 2 State Championship.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Dane County Board of Supervisors recognizes the parents, student body, and all Spartan fans for their support during the championship season.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that copies of this resolution be presented to Coach Ogorzalek and members of the Spartans boys soccer team as a token of the high esteem in which they are held by this Board.

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Analiese Eicher, Chair  
Dane County Board of Supervisors

Signed and sealed before me this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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Scott McDonell,  
Dane County Clerk