

CITY OF DIAMONDHEAD, MISSISSIPPI

A RESOLUTION HONORING THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NATIONAL BETA CLUB MUSICOLOGY TEAM FOR WINNING THE 2026 NATIONAL BETA CONVENTION CHAMPIONSHIP

WHEREAS, the City of Diamondhead is proud to recognize and celebrate the outstanding accomplishments of young people whose dedication, knowledge, and perseverance bring honor to themselves, their schools, and their communities; and

WHEREAS, St. Vincent de Paul Elementary School students Jesse Pidgeon, Conrad Crittenden, Andrew Mallini, and Charlie Clark captured the 2026 National Beta Convention Musicology Championship, competing against teams from across the United States; and

WHEREAS, the team advanced through five challenging rounds of quiz bowl-style competition, demonstrating exceptional knowledge of music history, theory, composers, and performance before earning a decisive 200–0 victory in the championship round; and

WHEREAS, this remarkable achievement reflects countless hours of study, preparation, teamwork, and commitment to academic excellence, as well as the encouragement and support of their families, teachers, coaches, and St. Vincent de Paul Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, the City of Diamondhead takes special pride in recognizing Jesse Pidgeon and Conrad Crittenden, Diamondhead residents whose accomplishments exemplify the talent, character, and promise of our community's young people; and

WHEREAS, the success of this championship team serves as an inspiration to students throughout our community, demonstrating that hard work, collaboration, and determination can lead to extraordinary achievement on a national stage.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Diamondhead, Mississippi, that we do hereby congratulate Jesse Pidgeon, Conrad Crittenden, Andrew Mallini, and Charlie Clark on winning the 2026 National Beta Convention Musicology Championship, commend them for their outstanding academic achievement, and extend our best wishes for continued success in all their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Council express their appreciation to the parents, educators, and mentors whose encouragement and dedication helped make this extraordinary accomplishment possible.

ADOPTED, this 21st day of July, 2026.

Anna Liese, Mayor

ATTEST:
City Clerk