

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2026-4689, by Representatives Jinkins, Stokesbary, Abbarno, Abell, Barkis, Barnard, Berg, Bergquist, Bernbaum, Berry, Bronoske, Burnett, Callan, Chase, Connors, Corry, Cortes, Couture, Davis, Dent, Doglio, Donaghy, Duerr, Dufault, Dye, Engell, Entenman, Eslick, Farivar, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Fosse, Goodman, Graham, Gregerson, Griffey, Hackney, Hall, Hill, Jacobsen, Keaton, Klicker, Kloba, Leavitt, Lekanoff, Ley, Low, Macri, Manjarrez, Marshall, McClintock, McEntire, Mena, Mendoza, Morgan, Nance, Obras, Orcutt, Ormsby, Ortiz-Self, Parshley, Paul, Penner, Peterson, Pollet, Ramel, Reed, Reeves, Richards, Rude, Rule, Ryu, Salahuddin, Santos, Schmick, Schmidt, Scott, Shavers, Simmons, Springer, Stearns, Steele, Stonier, Street, Stuebe, Taylor, Thai, Tharinger, Thomas, Timmons, Valdez, Volz, Walen, Walsh, Waters, Wylie, Ybarra, and Zahn

1 WHEREAS, The Seattle Seahawks, founded in 1976, have proudly
2 represented the state of Washington and the Pacific Northwest in the
3 National Football League for 50 seasons, having won 12 division
4 titles, three conference championships, and Super Bowl 48, becoming a
5 fixture on the field and in the community; and

6 WHEREAS, During the 2025 regular season, the Seattle Seahawks
7 delivered one of the most successful campaigns in franchise history,
8 finishing with a 14-3 record, winning the National Football
9 Conference West Division, and securing the Number 1 seed in the
10 National Football Conference playoffs; and

11 WHEREAS, The Seahawks' National Football Conference West Division
12 championship marked the team's first division title since 2020 and
13 reflected improvement from the previous season, when the Seahawks
14 finished with a 10-7 record and narrowly missed qualifying for the
15 playoffs; and

16 WHEREAS, The Seahawks' 14 regular season victories represent the
17 most wins in team history, surpassing previous 13-3 seasons in 2005
18 and 2013, both of which culminated in Super Bowl appearances,
19 including a Super Bowl championship following the 2013 season; and

20 WHEREAS, The Seahawks' offense ranked among the most productive
21 in the National Football League during the 2025 season, scoring 483
22 total points, the third-highest total in the league; and

1 WHEREAS, The Seahawks' defense delivered a dominant performance
2 throughout the season, allowing only 292 points, the fewest in the
3 National Football League, and permitting an average of just 3.7 yards
4 per rushing attempt, the lowest mark in the league; and

5 WHEREAS, Quarterback Sam Darnold, in his first season with the
6 Seattle Seahawks, passed for more than 4,000 yards and threw 25
7 touchdown passes, providing leadership and consistent performance at
8 the game's most critical position; and

9 WHEREAS, Wide receiver Jaxon Smith-Njigba recorded 119 receptions
10 for a league-leading 1,793 receiving yards, was second in the
11 National Football League with 79 catches resulting in first downs,
12 and added 10 touchdown receptions, establishing himself as one of the
13 league's premier playmakers; and

14 WHEREAS, The Seahawks' rushing attack was led by Kenneth Walker
15 III, who rushed for 1,027 yards and averaged 4.6 yards per carry, and
16 Zach Charbonnet, who added 730 rushing yards and led the team with 12
17 rushing touchdowns; and

18 WHEREAS, Six members of the Seattle Seahawks were selected to the
19 Pro Bowl in recognition of their outstanding individual achievements:
20 Quarterback Sam Darnold, wide receiver Jaxon Smith-Njigba, defensive
21 lineman Leonard Williams, linebacker DeMarcus Lawrence, defensive
22 back Devon Witherspoon, and kick returner Rashid Shaheed; and

23 WHEREAS, During the 2025 National Football League postseason, the
24 Seattle Seahawks delivered a dominant performance in the National
25 Football Conference Divisional Round on January 17, 2026, defeating
26 the San Francisco 49ers 41-6 at Lumen Field, followed by a thrilling
27 31-27 victory over the Los Angeles Rams in the National Football
28 Conference Championship Game on January 25, 2026, also at Lumen
29 Field, to secure the National Football Conference championship and
30 advance to Super Bowl 60; and

31 WHEREAS, In Super Bowl 60, played on February 8, 2026, at Levi's
32 Stadium in Santa Clara, California, the Seattle Seahawks defeated the
33 New England Patriots by a score of 29-13, capturing the National
34 Football League championship; and

35 WHEREAS, The Seahawks' Kenneth Walker III was named the Most
36 Valuable Player of Super Bowl 60 in recognition of an exceptional
37 performance that exemplified excellence, leadership, and competitive
38 spirit on the sport's biggest stage; and

1 WHEREAS, Wide receiver Jaxon Smith-Njigba was named the 2025
2 Associated Press National Football League Offensive Player of the
3 Year at the National Football League Honors ceremony, recognizing his
4 outstanding performance during the regular season and his
5 contributions to the Seahawks' historic campaign; and

6 WHEREAS, The Seattle Seahawks' defense, known as the "Dark Side,"
7 delivered a dominant and disciplined performance in Super Bowl 60
8 shutting out the New England Patriots for the first three quarters of
9 the game, applying relentless pressure, limiting offensive
10 production, and demonstrating exceptional coordination, preparation,
11 and execution under the leadership of Head Coach Mike MacDonald,
12 playing a decisive role in securing the National Football League
13 championship; and

14 WHEREAS, The success of the 2025 Seattle Seahawks reflects the
15 dedication, discipline, and leadership of the players, coaches,
16 ownership, and staff, as well as the unwavering support of the team's
17 passionate fan base, known as the "12s"; and

18 WHEREAS, Beyond their on-field accomplishments, the Seattle
19 Seahawks organization has demonstrated an ongoing commitment to
20 community service, charitable initiatives, and youth engagement
21 programs that strengthen communities throughout Washington state; and

22 WHEREAS, The historic 2025 season exemplifies the values of hard
23 work, teamwork, resilience, and unity that reflect the spirit and
24 character of the people of the state of Washington;

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington state House
26 of Representatives congratulate the Seattle Seahawks on their
27 historic 2025 regular season, National Football Conference West
28 Division championship, and National Football League championship, and
29 commend the organization for its excellence, leadership, and positive
30 impact on the state of Washington; and

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
32 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of
33 Representatives to the Seattle Seahawks organization as an expression
34 of the House's recognition, appreciation, and pride on behalf of the
35 people of the state of Washington.

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37 I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of
38 Resolution 4689 adopted by the House of Representatives

February 13, 2026

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Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk