

- **WHEREAS:** The DHS Cheerleading Team has demonstrated unparalleled dedication, teamwork, and athletic excellence; and
- WHEREAS: This extraordinary team began their competitive season with a victorious first competition, followed by an impressive second-place finish at their next event, showing remarkable growth and determination; and
- WHEREAS: The DHS Cheerleading Team culminated their season by earning the prestigious title of Division 1 Fall Spirit State Champions with an outstanding score of 102.1, triumphing over 17 Division 1 teams, including Pinkerton Academy, whom they outscored by 6 points; and
- WHEREAS: The team competed with 12 athletes on the mat, each of whom contributed to the success of the routine through tireless hard work, overcoming initial challenges in meeting tumbling standards and achieving new, difficult stunting skills never before performed by DHS Cheer; and
- WHEREAS: This team exemplified unwavering drive, passion, and resilience, overcoming adversity with relentless effort and enduring countless repetitions of their routine to perfect every element, proving their commitment to excellence; and
- **WHEREAS:** The primary goal of the DHS Cheerleading Team was to perform a flawless routine with no regrets, a goal they undeniably achieved, leaving everything on the mat and earning a well-deserved championship title; and
- **WHEREAS:** For the majority of the team, this was their first time winning a state championship, making the victory even more memorable and emotional, with tears of joy and immense pride shared by all; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert Carrier, Mayor of the City of Dover in the State of New Hampshire, and the entire City Council hereby recognize and commend the DHS Cheerleading Team for their outstanding accomplishments, relentless spirit, and remarkable representation of DHS Athletics.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dover to be affixed this 15th Day of January, 2025.

Robert Carrier, Mayor City of Dover, New Hampshire