

1 Introduced by Council Members White, Johnson, Pittman, Gay, Salem,
2 Amaro, Howland, Miller and Carrico:

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5 **RESOLUTION 2026-521**

6 A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE TRINITY
7 CHRISTIAN ACADEMY CONQUERORS BASEBALL TEAM ON
8 WINNING THE 2026 FHSAA CLASS 2A BASEBALL
9 CHAMPIONSHIP; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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11 **WHEREAS**, for more than 50 years, Trinity Christian Academy has
12 established a longstanding tradition of excellence in academics and
13 athletics in the City of Jacksonville; and

14 **WHEREAS**, the Trinity Christian Academy Conquerors baseball team
15 completed an exceptional 2026 season with a 27-8 overall record while
16 completing one of the most demanding schedules in the State of
17 Florida; and

18 **WHEREAS**, after finishing as the FHSAA Class 2A state runner-up
19 in 2025, the Conquerors returned to the FHSAA Final Four in Fort
20 Myers with the determination to finish the job and bring a state
21 championship back to Jacksonville; and

22 **WHEREAS**, Trinity Christian advanced to the Class 2A Championship
23 game with a 7-2 semifinal victory over Lakeland Christian Academy
24 behind exceptional performances from Adien Arnett, Jordan Martinez,
25 Brady Harris, Tyler Ellis, Romy DeCenzo, Brennan Bachtell, Ja'Rod
26 Flowers, and Ethan Wheeler; and

27 **WHEREAS**, on May 19, 2026, at Hammond Stadium in Fort Myers, the
28 Conquerors defeated True North Classical Academy by a score of 8-4
29 to capture the 2026 FHSAA Class 2A State Baseball Championship; and

30 **WHEREAS**, the Championship marked the second baseball state title
31 in program history and represented the culmination of years of

1 dedication, perseverance, teamwork, and leadership by the student-
2 athletes, coaches, school administrators, parents, and supporters;
3 and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Trinity Christian Academy Conquerors represented
5 the City of Jacksonville with distinction, sportsmanship, discipline,
6 and excellence during the game and throughout the 2026 season; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Jacksonville City Council desires to publicly
8 recognize and celebrate this remarkable achievement earned through
9 the team's dedication and unrelenting spirit; now therefore

10 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

11 **Section 1.** The City Council hereby honors and congratulates
12 the Trinity Christian Academy Conquerors baseball team for winning
13 the 2026 FHSAA Class 2A State Baseball Championship and commends the
14 players, coaches, trainers, and faculty for this outstanding
15 achievement.

16 **Section 2. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become
17 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
18 without the Mayor's signature.

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20 Form Approved:

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22 /s/ Shannon MacGillis

23 Office of General Counsel

24 Legislation Prepared By: Brandon Russell, City Council Research

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