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S. R. No. 194

Senators LaRose, Sawyer

ARESOLUTION

Honoring Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens on the auspicious occasion of its One Hundredth Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a fitting tribute to Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens, for throughout the past century, this fine historic home, which has been accredited by the American Alliance of Museums, has attained a remarkable record of service to the area. Built in 1915 by F.A. Seiberling, the co-founder of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, the estate has transformed into an iconic landmark for the Akron community; and

WHEREAS, The success of Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens is a justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only on the organization itself but also on the astute management of its chairman of the board, Steve Cox, and its president and executive director, Linda Conrad, and on its hard-working employees and volunteers. Due to their vision and initiative, this respected museum has earned the gratitude and appreciation of many satisfied patrons, and they are truly deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, The nation's sixth largest historic home, Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens has enhanced the quality of life within

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the surrounding area. We are certain that as this worthy establishment maintains its unwavering dedication to service and achievement, it will continue to prosper and will uphold the tradition of excellence that has long been its hallmark; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens on its One Hundredth Anniversary and extend best wishes for the future; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens.