

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 205

Senator Balderson

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Caroline Pinson as a 2015 Fraternal Order
of Eagles national speech champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Caroline Pinson on placing first in the 10- to 11-year-old category at the 2015 God, Flag, and Country National Speech Contest, sponsored by the Fraternal Order of Eagles; and

WHEREAS, A student at McIntire Elementary School, Caroline Pinson has striven to develop her capabilities, and consequently, she won first place in her age category at this year's God, Flag, and Country National Speech Contest. An intelligent and motivated individual, she has amply demonstrated her ability to meet challenges with enthusiasm and confidence and has displayed an exceptional willingness to work hard to produce superior results. Through her remarkable efforts, she has set an example worthy of emulation, and she is certainly deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, With self-discipline, perseverance, and resolve, Caroline Pinson has striven to increase her knowledge and skills. Through her decisive leadership, she has distinguished herself as a conscientious and responsible young woman, and we are certain that she will continue to display the same unwavering dedication to excellence for which she has become known; and

WHEREAS, Caroline Pinson's accomplishments are a

justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection not only on her but also on her family, her school, and her community. She has exhibited a sincere desire to do her best in all of her endeavors so that she might fulfill her goals in the future, and this, coupled with her maturity and initiative, shows her potential to become one of tomorrow's leaders; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Caroline Pinson for outstanding achievement and salute her as one of Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Caroline Pinson.