

## As Adopted by the Senate

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**Senator Hughes**

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### A RESOLUTION

Honoring Jaden Mattox as a 2016 Division I State Wrestling  
Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Jaden Mattox on  
winning the 2016 Division I State Wrestling Championship in the  
132-pound weight class; and

WHEREAS, Jaden Mattox's outstanding ability and spirited  
drive, as well as his quickness and tenacity, have distinguished  
him as a remarkable individual. A sophomore at Central Crossing  
High School, he was the Division I 132-pound sectional champion  
and went on to secure this year's Division I State Championship  
title, and he was named to the All-Metro and *ThisWeek* Super 12  
first teams. It is no surprise that he has won so many admirers;  
and

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of personal  
accomplishment more than wrestling. Student wrestlers such as  
Jaden Mattox exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence,  
including integrity, agility, conditioning, and focus. Throughout  
long hours of practice and competition, he demonstrated the talent  
and motivation that are the hallmarks of a true champion; and

WHEREAS, Sports are a valuable social and recreational outlet  
for people of all ages. With competition being a mainstay of  
American society, we applaud Jaden Mattox for his participation in  
an activity that promotes qualities essential for excellence in  
all of life's pursuits; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, honor Jaden  
Mattox as a Division I State Wrestling Champion and extend best

wishes for the years to come; and be it further 27

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 28  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Jaden Mattox. 29