

## As Adopted by the Senate

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**Senator Yuko**

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### A RESOLUTION

Honoring Leah Roter as the 2016 Division II State Girls  
Cross Country Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Leah  
Roter on winning the 2016 Division II State Girls Cross Country  
Championship; and

WHEREAS, This accomplishment is truly noteworthy, for Leah  
Roter has clearly demonstrated her talent and perseverance, as  
well as her mental and physical fortitude as a long distance  
runner. As this year's Division II State Champion, she has  
exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for  
success both in and out of the sports world, including courage,  
determination, and an innate sense of the principles of good  
sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, In displaying such exceptional prowess as a member  
of the Beachwood High School girls cross country team, Leah Roter  
has earned the appreciation of her fellow athletes, the devotion  
of countless fans, and the respect of even her most determined  
rivals. Competition in athletics has enabled her to learn much  
about dedication and self-discipline, and we take this opportunity  
to acknowledge her exceptional record of achievement; and

WHEREAS, Long distance running is an event that requires  
exceptional stamina and natural ability, and Leah Roter is to be  
commended for her commitment to this demanding activity. In  
attaining her athletic goals, she has consistently exhibited the  
skill and integrity that are the hallmarks of a true champion;  
therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st

General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,	27
congratulate Leah Roter as the 2016 Division II State Girls Cross	28
Country Champion and extend best wishes for continued success; and	29
be it further	30
 RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Leah Roter.	32