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Representative Boyd

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Hathaway Brown School girls tennis team as
the 2016 Ohio Tennis Coaches' Association Division II
State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize the 2
Hathaway Brown School girls tennis team on winning the 2016 Ohio 3
Tennis Coaches' Association Division II State Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, The Hathaway Brown School girls tennis team is 5
deserving of high praise for the impressive athletic gifts and the 6
indomitable spirit that each member has displayed. These young 7
women have excelled on the court, and they defeated Indian Hill 8
High School 3-0 to earn first place at the 2016 OTCA Division II 9
State Championship. This success has taught these fine players the 10
importance of hard work and good sportsmanship, which will 11
undoubtedly be of great benefit to them throughout their lives; 12
and 13

WHEREAS, The Hathaway Brown School girls tennis team has 14
exemplified the qualities necessary for excellence in sports, 15
including strength, finesse, agility, and perseverance. Throughout 16
long hours of practice and preparation, the Blazers have 17
demonstrated outstanding talent and motivation, and the squad's 18
achievements are a justifiable source of pride not only for them 19
but also for their coach, their school, and their community; and 20

WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders 21
of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the 22
rewards of individual effort, athletic competition has become a 23
valuable educational tool. With sports playing such an important 24

part in the development of our young people, we are extremely 25
pleased to pay tribute to such collections of fine athletes like 26
the Hathaway Brown School girls tennis team and applaud them as 27
true champions; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 29
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 30
this Resolution, congratulate the Hathaway Brown School girls 31
tennis team for placing first at the 2016 Ohio Tennis Coaches' 32
Association Division II State Tournament; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 34
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 35
Hathaway Brown School girls tennis team. 36