

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 103

Senator Hoagland

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Ohio University Speaking Bobcats as a 2017
Division II Public Communications Speech and Debate
League National Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Ohio University 2
Speaking Bobcats on placing first in the speech sweepstakes 3
category at the 2017 Division II Public Communications Speech and 4
Debate League National Championship; and 5

WHEREAS, The members of the Ohio University Speaking Bobcats 6
have striven to develop their capabilities, and consequently, they 7
won first place in the speech sweepstakes event and second in the 8
overall team and debate sweepstakes events at this year's Division 9
II Public Communications Speech and Debate League National 10
Championships. Intelligent and motivated individuals, the team 11
members have amply demonstrated their ability to meet challenges 12
with enthusiasm and confidence and they have displayed an 13
exceptional willingness to work hard to produce superior results. 14
Through their remarkable efforts, they have set an example worthy 15
of emulation, and they are certainly deserving of high praise; and 16

WHEREAS, With self-discipline, perseverance, and resolve, the 17
members of the Ohio University Speaking Bobcats have proven to be 18
formidable opponents with their knowledge and skills. Through 19
their spectacular oratorical prowess, they have distinguished 20
themselves as conscientious and responsible students, and we are 21
certain that they will continue to display the same unwavering 22
dedication to excellence for which they have become known; and 23

WHEREAS, The achievements of the Ohio University Speaking 24

Bobcats are a justifiable source of pride and an excellent 25
reflection not only on the members but also on their families, 26
their university, and their hometowns. They have exhibited a 27
sincere desire to succeed in all of their endeavors so that they 28
might fulfill their goals in the future, and this, coupled with 29
their maturity and initiative, shows their potential to become 30
some of tomorrow's leaders; therefore be it 31

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 32
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 33
congratulate the Ohio University Speaking Bobcats for its 34
outstanding accomplishments and salute the members as some of 35
Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it further 36

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 37
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Ohio University 38
Speaking Bobcats. 39