

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 425

Senator Jordan

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Heritage Middle School Future City team as
the 2018 Ohio Region Future City Competition Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Heritage Middle 2
School Future City team for winning the 2018 Ohio Region Future 3
City Competition sponsored by the Ohio Department of Aging; and 4

WHEREAS, The members of the Heritage Middle School Future 5
City team are, indeed, remarkable young academicians, successfully 6
combining talent and competitive spirit with exceptional vision to 7
establish themselves as truly exemplary students. With commendable 8
dedication, they performed admirably against teams from across the 9
state, and as a result, they won this year's Ohio Region Future 10
City Competition and qualified for the national contest; and 11

WHEREAS, In preparing themselves for this important contest, 12
the Heritage Middle School Future City team members, along with 13
their advisors, Anne Bates and Erik McPeek, had the opportunity to 14
identify challenges that would affect the senior population of the 15
fictional City of Sophia Vitae and engineer innovative solutions 16
to reflect a municipality that responds effectively to the 17
community's growing needs. Working diligently to articulate their 18
vision of an age-friendly city, they confronted the competition 19
with confidence and enthusiasm and distinguished themselves as 20
outstanding representatives of their school, community, and state; 21
and 22

WHEREAS, The accomplishments of the Heritage Middle School 23
Future City team are a justifiable source of pride, for they also 24
took first place in the categories of Best Use of Recreation and 25
Best Computer City Design. The maturity and experience the members 26

have gained through their participation in events such as the 27
Future City Competition will greatly aid them in meeting the 28
challenges of the future; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 30
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 31
Heritage Middle School Future City team on its recent state title 32
and applaud all associated with this excellent group; and be it 33
further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 35
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Heritage Middle 36
School Future City team. 37