

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 45

Senator Kunze

A RESOLUTION

Honoring John Riegel on being named the 2017 OSTA Public
School Teacher of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to John
Riegel on being selected as the 2017 Public School Teacher of the
Year by the Ohio Orchestra and String Teacher Association; and

WHEREAS, Motivated by a deep concern for our youth, John
Riegel has brought insight, expertise, and ability to the
important task of guiding young minds. As a music teacher at Darby
High School, he has encouraged many students to develop their
knowledge and interests and has instilled within them an
appreciation of the importance of education that will benefit them
throughout the course of their lives; and

WHEREAS, A skillful and patient instructor, John Riegel has
dedicated himself to awakening in young people a love for music,
and he has motivated students and faculty alike to set ambitious
goals and high standards for themselves. Understandably, his
spirited intellect and painstaking approach to his work have won
him a host of admirers; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, John Riegel has not only taught many
youths in the community, but he has also established a solid
foundation for succeeding generations. His unstinting
contributions of time, talent, and seemingly inexhaustible energy
to students and teachers alike have gained him the appreciation
and esteem of everyone with whom he has been associated, and his
career stands as a hallmark worthy of emulation; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd

General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,	26
congratulate John Riegel as the Public School Teacher of the Year	27
for 2017 and extend best wishes for ongoing success; and be it	28
further	29
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to John Riegel.	31