

As Adopted by the Senate

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Senator Kunze

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Upper Arlington High School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team as the 2017 Division I State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Upper Arlington High School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team on securing the 2017 Division I State Championship title; and

WHEREAS, The talented Upper Arlington High School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team is to be heartily commended, for by placing first with a time of 1:34.51, it has decisively earned this year's Division I State Championship title. The victory of the Golden Bears reflects an outstanding collective effort by a gifted group of athletes. Without exception, members Brooke Brown, Hannah Caldwell, Anna Linzell, and Katie Trace had prepared conscientiously in pursuit of the crown, devoting countless hours to training and practice in order to ensure peak conditioning, and clearly, this demanding regimen has paid handsome dividends; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Upper Arlington High School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team have epitomized the power, poise, and precision that befit true champions. To their credit, Coach Dan Peterkoski has guided the squad with unwavering expertise and encouragement, and he merits enthusiastic praise for coaxing admirable performances out of the Golden Bears in each competitive outing. Despite sometimes grueling pressure, they have consistently maintained their composure and morale, exhibiting strength, speed, stamina, and agility in every challenging encounter. Time and again, they have risen to the occasion, amply demonstrating their unflagging determination, and their impressive

maturity and finesse have gained them widespread respect, even 26
among their most formidable rivals; and 27

WHEREAS, By weathering a rigorous schedule and prevailing 28
over a host of adversaries, the members of the Upper Arlington 29
High School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team have learned much 30
about dedication, self-discipline, leadership, and perseverance. 31
Their first-place finish is a measure of their stalwart commitment 32
to the sport, and their indomitable spirit has made their 33
families, friends, and coach extremely proud. This triumph attests 34
to the staunch resolve of these young women, and it signifies the 35
acquisition of valuable experience that is sure to benefit them in 36
later life; therefore be it 37

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 38
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, honor the 39
Upper Arlington High School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team 40
for exemplary achievement and wish its members and coach continued 41
success in the years to come; and be it further 42

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 43
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Upper Arlington High 44
School girls 200-yard freestyle relay team. 45