## **As Introduced**

## 133rd General Assembly Regular Session 2019-2020

S. R. No. 408

## **Senator Johnson**

## A RESOLUTION

Honoring Jerica Estle-Grooms on receiving the 2019 Youth Leadership of the Year Award.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General	1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to	2
Jerica Estle-Grooms on being presented with the 2019 Youth	3
Leadership of the Year Award by the Public Children Services	4
Association of Ohio; and	5
WHEREAS, Jerica Estle-Grooms is, indeed, a remarkable	6
individual, combining compassionate concern and commitment with	7
selfless initiative to become a dynamic advocate for foster youth	8
throughout Ohio. A former foster youth, she has given willingly of	9
her time, abilities, and enthusiasm, and she has dedicated	10
countless hours and seemingly inexhaustible energy to children in	11
Ohio's foster care programs; and	12
WHEREAS, Known throughout the area as an exceptional	13
community member,	14
Jerica Estle-Grooms has demonstrated commendable devotion and	15
social concern to her friends and neighbors, and has earned the	16
respect and gratitude of all those who have come to know her. Her	17
superlative work is the hallmark of genuine and responsible	18
citizenship, and demonstrates the potential of individuals to have	19
a positive effect on the quality of life in our society; and	20
WHEREAS, It is through the unsurpassed efforts and	21
unparalleled commitment of individuals such as Jerica Estle-Grooms	22
that our nation continues to grow and prosper and our state	23
remains responsive to the needs of its citizens. She has earned a	24
well-deserved reputation as a generous and civic-minded person,	25
and she is deserving of the highest praise for her concerted	26

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efforts on behalf of the entire community; therefore be it	27
RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd	28
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,	29
congratulate Jerica Estle-Grooms for her recent accolade and	30
salute her as one of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further	31
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	32
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Jerica Estle-Grooms.	33