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Representative Phillips

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Joe Burrow on being named the 2014 Ohio Mr. Football.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend Joe Burrow on being recognized as the 2014 Ohio Mr. Football; and

WHEREAS, Joe Burrow's accomplishments are truly noteworthy, for he has clearly demonstrated his talent and perseverance, as well as his mental and physical fortitude as an athlete. A member of the Athens High School football team, which placed second at the Division III State Championship and accumulated a 14-1 record during the 2014 season, he has exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of the sports world, including courage, integrity, and an innate sense of the principles of good sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, By developing such remarkable prowess as a member of the Athens High School football team, Joe Burrow has earned the appreciation of his fellow athletes, the devotion of countless fans, and the respect of even his most determined rivals. His outstanding record of achievement stands as a hallmark worthy of emulation, and he has inspired countless individuals to excel in numerous areas of endeavor; and

WHEREAS, Football is a sport that requires exceptional stamina and natural ability, and Joe Burrow is to be applauded for

his commitment to this demanding activity. In attaining his athletic goals, he has certainly distinguished himself as a true champion; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Joe Burrow on his recent distinction and salute him as a fine Ohioan; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Joe Burrow.