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A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Lima Central Catholic High School boys
basketball team as the 2016 Division III State
Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the 2
Lima Central Catholic High School boys basketball team on winning 3
the 2016 Division III State Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members 5
of the Lima Central Catholic High School boys basketball team have 6
combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of 7
good sportsmanship to establish themselves as a truly exceptional 8
squad. With admirable dedication, the Thunderbirds have worked 9
diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in basketball, 10
and as a result, they secured this year's Division III State 11
Championship title; and 12

WHEREAS, The Thunderbirds' achievements and leadership are a 13
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on the 14
players, their families, their school, their community, and their 15
coaches. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on 16
the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and 17
inspiration, and in leading their team to victory, Coach Frank 18
Kill and his assistants have not only helped each athlete to 19
develop his talents to the fullest but also instilled in each a 20
valuable sense of determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; 21
and 22

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 23
role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely 24
pleased to pay tribute to these exemplary athletes and their 25

outstanding coaches for a job well done. The maturity and 26
experience the team members have gained through participation in 27
sports will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the 28
future; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 30
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 31
this Resolution, commend the Lima Central Catholic High School 32
boys basketball team on its tremendous season and salute the 33
players and coaches as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it 34
further 35

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 36
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Lima 37
Central Catholic High School boys basketball team. 38