

## As Offered

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**H. R. No. 404**

**Representative Antonio**

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### **A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Paisley Monkey on being named the 2015  
Heritage Ohio Main Street Business of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Paisley 2  
Monkey on being presented with the 2015 Main Street Business of 3  
the Year by Heritage Ohio; and 4

WHEREAS, This prestigious distinction is, indeed, a fitting 5  
tribute to the Paisley Monkey, for it has consistently 6  
demonstrated professionalism and expertise, as well as a 7  
commitment to maintaining the highest standards. Founded as an 8  
online shop for children's clothing, gifts, and products, the 9  
store has grown from its original small retail space to its 10  
current location on Detroit Avenue, and it has invested in 11  
Downtown Lakewood by sponsoring such events as LakewoodAlive's 12  
Front Porch Concert series; and 13

WHEREAS, The success of the Paisley Monkey is a justifiable 14  
source of pride and a fine reflection not only on the business 15  
itself but also on its owners, Tamara Racin and Thomas Mohny, on 16  
its hard-working employees, and on the community. Due to its 17  
outstanding effort and initiative, the venture has earned the 18  
gratitude and appreciation of many satisfied customers, and this 19  
remarkable organization is certainly deserving of high praise; and 20

WHEREAS, Ohio's economic prosperity depends on businesses 21  
such as the Paisley Monkey to provide goods and services to the 22  
citizens of our state. We are proud to note that it is through the 23  
dedicated efforts of individuals such as those associated with the 24  
company, who are willing to invest in their communities, that our 25  
state has continued to grow and prosper; therefore be it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 27  
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 28  
this Resolution, congratulate the Paisley Monkey on its recent 29  
accolade and extend best wishes for the future; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 31  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 32  
Paisley Monkey. 33