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Representative Anielski

ARESOLUTION

Honoring Hallie Thome as the 2015 Ohio Ms. Basketball.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Hallie Thome on being named Ohio's Ms. Basketball for 2015; and

WHEREAS, A senior at Chagrin Falls High School, Hallie Thome has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish herself as a truly exceptional athlete. With admirable dedication, she has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in basketball, and as a result, she averaged 20.3 points, 9.3 rebounds, and 4.6 blocks per game during the regular season and helped the Tigers compile an impressive 26-1 overall record; and

WHEREAS, Hallie Thome's accomplishments and leadership, both in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only on her but also on her family, her teammates, her coaches, her school, and her community. Her unwavering commitment to excellence has earned her the 2015 Ohio Girls Basketball Player of the Year Award from Gatorade, and she is certainly worthy of high praise; and

WHEREAS, Through her participation in sports, Hallie Thome has learned important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to her throughout her life. Indeed, the same maturity

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and experience she has gained will greatly aid her in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Hallie Thome on her personal success and salute her as one of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further

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