

As Introduced

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Senator Balderson

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Barnes Outdoor Advertising on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Barnes Outdoor
Advertising on the auspicious occasion of its One Hundredth
Anniversary, celebrated throughout 2016; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a
fitting tribute to Barnes Outdoor Advertising, for throughout the
past one hundred years, this fine business has attained a
remarkable record of service to Southeastern Ohio. The oldest and
largest outdoor advertising firm in the region, the company offers
a variety of marketing solutions, including traditional
billboards, electronic billboards, and creative signage, and it
also donates the use of billboards to numerous charitable
organizations; and

WHEREAS, The success of Barnes Outdoor Advertising is a
justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only
on the business itself but also on the astute management of its
president and owner, Maryjane Shackelford, and its executive vice
president and owner, John Barnes, on its hard-working employees,
and on the Zanesville community. Due to their vision and
initiative, this respected establishment has earned the gratitude
and appreciation of many satisfied clients, and they are truly
deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, Barnes Outdoor Advertising has
enhanced the quality of life within the surrounding area. We are
certain that as this noteworthy enterprise maintains its
unflinching dedication to service and achievement, it will
continue to prosper and will uphold the tradition of excellence
that has long been its hallmark; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 29
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend 30
Barnes Outdoor Advertising on its One Hundredth Anniversary and 31
extend best wishes for the future; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Barnes Outdoor 34
Advertising. 35