

**As Adopted by the Senate**

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**S. R. No. 490**

**Senator Manning**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Rosetta Shepherd as the 2015-2016 Boys and Girls  
Clubs of America Ohio Youth of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to 2  
Rosetta Shepherd on being named the 2015-2016 Ohio Youth of the 3  
Year by the Boys and Girls Clubs of America; and 4

WHEREAS, Rosetta Shepherd has demonstrated that she is, 5  
indeed, deserving of high praise for her dedication, hard work, 6  
and leadership skills. She is a senior at Elyria High School, and 7  
through her unfaltering devotion to service and achievement, she 8  
has distinguished herself as a conscientious and hard-working 9  
Ohioan; and 10

WHEREAS, Rosetta Shepherd's noteworthy record of 11  
accomplishment clearly shows the potential of each individual to 12  
have a positive effect on the quality of life in our society. It 13  
is our sincere hope that her tireless efforts will inspire other 14  
young people to dedicate themselves similarly, and we applaud her 15  
on her tremendous work; and 16

WHEREAS, Rosetta Shepherd's unstinting contributions of time, 17  
talent, and seemingly inexhaustible energy have earned her the 18  
well-deserved appreciation of all those with whom she has been 19  
associated. We are proud to note that it is through the unceasing 20  
efforts of people such as Rosetta Shepherd that Ohio continues to 21  
grow and prosper and our state remains a pleasant place in which 22  
to live and work; therefore be it 23

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 24  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend 25  
Rosetta Shepherd on her recent accolade and salute her as one of 26

Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it further 27

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 28

authenticated copy of this Resolution to Rosetta Shepherd. 29