

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 515

Senator Hackett

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Medway on its Bicentennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Medway on the jubilant 2
occasion of its Two Hundredth Anniversary; and 3

WHEREAS, This is, indeed, an auspicious milestone, and 4
celebration is certainly in order. Since its inception two hundred 5
years ago, Medway, an unincorporated community in Bethel Township, 6
has experienced dramatic growth and change, and yet, commendably, 7
even as its residents have exuberantly embraced the promise of a 8
bright future, they have never relinquished their appreciation for 9
the worthiest virtues of the past. Without sacrificing their sense 10
of tradition in the name of progress, the people of Medway have 11
managed to nurture a fresh perspective and a positive outlook that 12
endear this distinctive place to all who know it well; and 13

WHEREAS, Two centuries after it was founded, Medway still 14
radiates vitality, optimism, and a charm all its own. Clearly, it 15
is a place of many engaging qualities, and its schools, 16
businesses, and civic organizations both embody and thrive upon 17
the values of which our flag is an emblem. A vigorous commitment 18
to public service and an earnest devotion to lofty ideals have 19
long been second nature to most of Medway's residents, and 20
vigilance, industriousness, and generosity have come to typify 21
their collective character; and 22

WHEREAS, Every state depends upon such vibrant, durable 23

communities as Medway for its own survival and stability. Although 24
it has known adversity and tribulation, it also has been favored 25
with its share of blessings. In the years to come, Medway is sure 26
to remain on its admirable course and to continue to transform 27
challenges into opportunities; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 29
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, extend our 30
congratulations to Medway as it commemorates its Bicentennial and 31
offer our best wishes for its perennial good fortune; and be it 32
further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Medway. 35