

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 528

Senator Balderson

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Nik Curtiss as the 2016 Division I State Champion
in the shot put.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Nik 2
Curtiss on winning the 2016 Division I State Championship in the 3
shot put; and 4

WHEREAS, This accomplishment is truly noteworthy, for Nik 5
Curtiss has clearly demonstrated his talent and perseverance, as 6
well as his mental and physical fortitude. As this year's Division 7
I State Champion in the shot put with a top throw of 65 feet, 8
10.75 inches, he has exemplified all of the characteristics that 9
are essential for success both in and out of the sports world, 10
including courage, determination, and an innate sense of the 11
principles of good sportsmanship; and 12

WHEREAS, In displaying such exceptional prowess as a senior 13
member of the Lancaster High School boys track and field team, Nik 14
Curtiss has earned the appreciation of his fellow athletes, the 15
devotion of countless fans, and the respect of even his most 16
determined rivals. Competition in athletics has enabled him to 17
learn much about dedication and self-discipline, and we take this 18
opportunity to acknowledge his remarkable record of achievement; 19
and 20

WHEREAS, The shot put is an event that requires tremendous 21
talent and natural ability, and Nik Curtiss is to be commended for 22
his commitment to this demanding activity. In attaining his 23
athletic goals, he has consistently exhibited the skill and 24
integrity that are the hallmarks of a true champion; therefore be 25
it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st	27
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,	28
congratulate Nik Curtiss for outstanding fulfillment and extend	29
best wishes for the future; and be it further	30
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Nik Curtiss.	32