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Senator Faber

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Representative Jim Buchy for his loyal service to 1
the Ohio House of Representatives. 2

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 3
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Representative Jim Buchy 4
for his outstanding service as a member of the Ohio House of 5
Representatives; and 6

WHEREAS, Throughout his distinguished tenure as a member of 7
the Ohio House of Representatives, Jim Buchy has demonstrated an 8
unwavering dedication to performing his duties and fulfilling his 9
responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and competence. 10
Representing the 84th District since 2011, he has ably served as 11
assistant majority floor leader and as a member of the Agriculture 12
and Rural Development, Finance, Government Accountability and 13
Oversight, and Public Utilities committees. Displaying commendable 14
determination and resolve, Representative Buchy has brought his 15
talents and experience to bear on the ever-changing needs and 16
issues of the Ohio General Assembly, and he has received several 17
honors and awards, including being named the Darke County 18
Republican of the Year; and 19

WHEREAS, Jim Buchy has given willingly of his time and energy 20
far beyond what was required or expected and has displayed a 21
genuine commitment to improving the quality of life in our 22
society. The former president and chief executive officer of Buchy 23
Food Service, he previously served in the Ohio House of 24
Representatives from 1983 to 2000, and he then held the posts of 25
assistant director of the Ohio Department of Agriculture and a 26

leadership council member and policy director for the National 27
Federation of Independent Business. His love for Ohio and his 28
sincere desire to serve its people to the best of his ability have 29
shown him to be a truly concerned and responsible public servant, 30
and we are proud to note that it is through the efforts of 31
conscientious individuals such as he that our state and nation 32
continue to grow and prosper; and 33

WHEREAS, Election to public office is one of the highest 34
honors that the people in a democracy can bestow upon a fellow 35
citizen. As a member of the Ohio House of Representatives, Jim 36
Buchy has consistently maintained a high degree of achievement and 37
has displayed a level of integrity and commitment that has earned 38
him the respect and admiration of colleagues on both sides of the 39
political aisle. Whether engaged in floor debate or in committee 40
deliberations, he has brought a full measure of enthusiasm, 41
intelligence, and public spirit to his duties, and he has 42
effectively served his constituents and the Great State of Ohio; 43
therefore be it 44

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 45
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud 46
Representative Jim Buchy on his exemplary service to the Ohio 47
House of Representatives and salute him as a fine Ohioan; and be 48
it further 49

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 50
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Representative Jim Buchy. 51