

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 659

Senator Yuko

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Leah Roter as the 2016 Division II State Girls
Cross Country Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Leah 2
Roter on winning the 2016 Division II State Girls Cross Country 3
Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, This accomplishment is truly noteworthy, for Leah 5
Roter has clearly demonstrated her talent and perseverance, as 6
well as her mental and physical fortitude as a long distance 7
runner. As this year's Division II State Champion, she has 8
exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for 9
success both in and out of the sports world, including courage, 10
determination, and an innate sense of the principles of good 11
sportsmanship; and 12

WHEREAS, In displaying such exceptional prowess as a member 13
of the Beachwood High School girls cross country team, Leah Roter 14
has earned the appreciation of her fellow athletes, the devotion 15
of countless fans, and the respect of even her most determined 16
rivals. Competition in athletics has enabled her to learn much 17
about dedication and self-discipline, and we take this opportunity 18
to acknowledge her exceptional record of achievement; and 19

WHEREAS, Long distance running is an event that requires 20
exceptional stamina and natural ability, and Leah Roter is to be 21
commended for her commitment to this demanding activity. In 22
attaining her athletic goals, she has consistently exhibited the 23
skill and integrity that are the hallmarks of a true champion; 24
therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 26

General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 27
congratulate Leah Roter as the 2016 Division II State Girls Cross 28
Country Champion and extend best wishes for continued success; and 29
be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Leah Roter. 32