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**Cosponsors: Senators LaRose, Cafaro, Hackett, Thomas, Manning, Beagle,
Gardner, Balderson, Seitz, Eklund, Hottinger, Yuko, Skindell, Schiavoni**

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Seventy-fifth Anniversary of the attack on
Pearl Harbor.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 1
Assembly of Ohio solemnly commemorate the Seventy-fifth 2
Anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor, December 7, 2016; and 3

WHEREAS, The United States and its people suffered a terrible 4
injustice when Japanese forces attacked the U.S. Pacific Fleet at 5
Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941. In observance of this horrible 6
tragedy, the anniversary of the aggression has been officially 7
designated as National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day, and on this 8
date, we pay homage to the members of the U.S. armed forces, 9
especially those who lost their lives, and thank the many men and 10
women who answered this nation's call to arms and made great 11
sacrifices in service to the United States of America; and 12

WHEREAS, The strike on Pearl Harbor will forever remain a 13
poignant date in the history of the United States. Clearly, we owe 14
a special debt of gratitude to all military service men and women, 15
and this memorable observance is an ideal time to honor them for 16
their exemplary courage and commitment; and 17

WHEREAS, The heroic traditions of our armed forces are an 18
important part of our American heritage. U.S. veterans have 19
provided a valuable service to our country and have established a 20
record of achievement that will long stand as a hallmark worthy of 21
emulation. They have certainly distinguished themselves as 22
patriotic and hard-working Americans, and they are truly deserving 23
of high praise; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 25
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commemorate 26
the Seventy-fifth Anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor and, 27
in so doing, recognize and honor our brave citizens who served 28
during World War II; and be it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit duly 30
authenticated copies of this Resolution to the news media of Ohio. 31