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Senator Obhof

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Lexington High School girls cross country team as the 2016 Division II State runner-up.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Lexington High School girls cross country team on placing second at the 2016 Division II State Meet; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Lexington High School girls cross country team are excellent young athletes, and they have established themselves as a truly exceptional squad. This season, the Minutemen achieved great success, and the unwavering commitment of the members and coaches has earned them the esteem of many; and

WHEREAS, The coaches of the Lexington High School girls cross country team have demonstrated remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and dedication in guiding this squad, and their skill is reflected in the team's outstanding accomplishment. Due to the tireless efforts of the students and coaches, the Minutemen have established themselves as winners, both in and out of athletic competition, and they have gained the respect and admiration of all who know them; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has become a valuable tool. Through their participation in sports, the members of the Lexington High School girls cross country team have learned lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to them throughout their lives; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 28
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, honor the 29
Lexington High School girls cross country team as the 2016 30
Division II State runner-up and applaud all those who contributed 31
to the success of this fine squad; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Lexington High School 34
girls cross country team. 35