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H. R. No. 137

Representative Sykes

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Akron First Assembly on its One Hundredth
Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend recognition 2
to Akron First Assembly on the hallowed occasion of its One 3
Hundredth Anniversary; and 4

WHEREAS, Since its inception, Akron First Assembly has 5
offered its members the pathway to a more meaningful life by 6
illuminating and demonstrating the precepts on which the church 7
was founded. The spirit of love and Christian fellowship that 8
exists among the parishioners prevails not only within the church 9
edifice itself but also extends beyond those sacred walls to touch 10
the lives of everyone encountered by these devout disciples; and 11

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of its pastor, the 12
Reverend Kent Jarvis, and his predecessors, Akron First Assembly 13
has experienced continual growth and has provided a source of 14
moral guidance and spiritual motivation for each of its members. 15
Over the years, the church has enhanced the quality of life within 16
the surrounding area, and through its generous efforts, it has 17
earned the gratitude and respect of the many citizens it has so 18
capably served; and 19

WHEREAS, An occasion such as this is an important milestone 20
that represents dedication, commitment, and enduring faith. For a 21
century, the members of Akron First Assembly have kept their faith 22
alive in the community, and on this special anniversary, the 23
congregation has accepted the challenge of carrying its beliefs 24
into the future; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 26

Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 27
this Resolution, congratulate Akron First Assembly on its 28
Centennial and pay tribute to all those joining in the celebration 29
of this joyous event; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 31
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Akron 32
First Assembly. 33