

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 162**

**Representative McColley**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Edon High School FFA grain merchandising team  
on winning first place at the 2017 FFA State  
Convention.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Edon 2  
High School FFA grain merchandising team as the 2017 FFA State 3  
Champion; and 4

WHEREAS, The members of the Edon High School FFA grain 5  
merchandising team are a dedicated and committed collection of 6  
upperclassmen, and they are richly deserving of recognition for 7  
the legacy they are leaving for future Edon High School FFA teams 8  
by earning first-place honors at this year's FFA State Convention. 9  
These fine students have displayed a degree of determination and 10  
motivation of which they can be proud, and they have set an 11  
example of excellence that is worthy of emulation; and 12

WHEREAS, FFA combines the wisdom and leadership of adulthood 13  
with the enthusiasm and optimism of youth so that our young people 14  
will be better prepared to assume meaningful, rewarding roles in 15  
society. It is certainly encouraging to know that the future of 16  
Ohio agriculture lies, to a large extent, in the capable hands of 17  
conscientious individuals such as the members of the Edon High 18  
School FFA grain merchandising team, including Naomi Hickman, 19  
Olivia Radabaugh, Paige Schaffter, Samantha Trausch, Jordan 20  
Wineberner, Eliza Zulch, and their encouraging coach, Joe 21  
Radabaugh; and 22

WHEREAS, All those associated with the Edon High School FFA 23  
grain merchandising team warrant the highest praise, for they have 24  
demonstrated exceptional diligence and enthusiasm in preparing for 25

the state test, as well as an unwavering dedication to the goals 26  
and principles of the National FFA Organization. The maturity and 27  
experience these members have gained through their participation 28  
in FFA will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of 29  
tomorrow, and we are certain that the future holds great promise 30  
for each student and that their unparalleled contributions to the 31  
Edon community will persist over time; therefore be it 32

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 33  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 34  
this Resolution, applaud the Edon High School grain merchandising 35  
team on its recent achievement and salute the members and coach as 36  
some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further 37

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 38  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Edon 39  
High School grain merchandising team. 40