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**H. R. No. 215**

**Representatives Gavarone, Arndt**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Northwestern Water and Sewer District Dirty Deeds team as the 2017 Division I State Operations Challenge Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Northwestern Water and Sewer District Dirty Deeds team on winning the Division I State Operations Challenge Championship at the 2017 Ohio Water Environment Association Technical Conference and Expo; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Northwestern Water and Sewer District Dirty Deeds team are a remarkable group of individuals, combining talent and competitive spirit with exceptional knowledge to establish themselves as truly exemplary employees. With commendable dedication, the members performed admirably at this year's Ohio Water Environment Association Technical Conference and Expo, and as a result, they won first place in the collections, safety, and maintenance events and second place in the lab event to place first overall in Division I of the State Operations Challenge, qualifying them for the Water Environment Federation National Operations Challenge. Throughout long hours of training and preparation, members Claud Barringer, Bryan Martikan, Jarred Myers, Tom McGrain, and Todd Saums have displayed a degree of determination and motivation of which they can be proud; and

WHEREAS, In preparing themselves for this important contest, the members of the Northwestern Water and Sewer District Dirty Deeds team have had the opportunity to develop and express their individual abilities and to acquire knowledge and information that will be of great benefit to them throughout their lives. Having worked diligently to sharpen their skills, they confronted

competition with confidence and enthusiasm and distinguished 27  
themselves as worthy representatives of their agency, their 28  
community, and their state; and 29

WHEREAS, The accomplishments of the Northwestern Water and 30  
Sewer District Dirty Deeds team are a justifiable source of pride 31  
not only for the employees but also for their families, their 32  
company, and their community. The maturity and experience the team 33  
members have gained through their participation in this exciting 34  
activity will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the 35  
future; therefore be it 36

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 37  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 38  
this Resolution, applaud the Northwestern Water and Sewer District 39  
Dirty Deeds team for outstanding achievement and salute the 40  
members as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further 41

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 42  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 43  
Northwestern Water and Sewer District Dirty Deeds team. 44