

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 228**

**Representative Smith, K.**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Leah Roter as a 2017 Division II State Girls  
Track and Field Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Leah 2  
Roter on placing first in the 3,200-meter run at the 2017 Division 3  
II State Girls Track and Field Meet; and 4

WHEREAS, This achievement is truly noteworthy, for Leah 5  
Roter has clearly demonstrated her talent, her perseverance, and 6  
her mental and physical fortitude as a distance runner. The winner 7  
in the 3,200-meter run at this year's Division II State Girls 8  
Track and Field Meet, she has exemplified the courage, 9  
determination, and innate sense of the principles of good 10  
sportsmanship that are essential for success both in and out of 11  
the sports world; and 12

WHEREAS, In displaying such exceptional prowess as a member 13  
of the Beachwood High School girls track and field team, Leah 14  
Roter has set an example worthy of emulation. Time and again, she 15  
has risen to the occasion, maintaining the morale, composure, and 16  
tenacity that have earned her many admirers; and 17

WHEREAS, Distance running is an event that requires 18  
exceptional stamina and natural ability, and Leah Roter is to be 19  
commended for her commitment to this demanding activity. Clearly, 20  
her exceptional prowess has made her family and friends very 21  
proud; therefore be it 22

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 23  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 24  
this Resolution, congratulate Leah Roter as a 2017 Division II 25  
State Girls Track and Field Champion and extend best wishes for 26

continued success; and be it further	27
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives	28
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Leah	29
Roter.	30