

**As Adopted by the House**

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**H. R. No. 282**

**Representatives Smith, K., Sweeney**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Jason Fox on being named the 2016 USA Rugby  
National Competitive Coach of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Jason Fox 2  
as the 2016 USA Rugby National Competitive Coach of the Year; and 3

WHEREAS, As the coach of the Notre Dame College men's rugby 4  
team, Jason Fox has shown remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and 5  
dedication in leading his team to victory. Under his capable 6  
guidance, the team members have worked diligently toward attaining 7  
ultimate proficiency in rugby, as demonstrated by the Falcons 8  
winning the 2016 Division 1-AA National Championship and 9  
completing their season with an admirable record of 11-0. We are 10  
confident that his tireless efforts will inspire others to 11  
dedicate themselves similarly; and 12

WHEREAS, The expertise, guidance, and sound judgment of 13  
coaches such as Jason Fox are critical to the ultimate success of 14  
any athletic endeavor. Due largely to his tireless efforts, the 15  
Falcons have emerged as winners, both in and out of competition, 16  
and he has earned the genuine respect and admiration of many; and 17

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 18  
role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely 19  
pleased to pay tribute to Jason Fox and his fine players for a job 20  
well-done. The maturity and experience the team members have 21  
gained through their participation in sports will greatly aid them 22  
in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it 23

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 24  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 25  
this Resolution, congratulate Jason Fox on his recent accolade and 26

extend best wishes for the years to come; and be it further	27
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives	28
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Jason	29
Fox.	30