

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 490**

**Representatives Boggs, Manning, Rezabek**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the St. Charles Preparatory School boys  
volleyball team as the 2018 Division II State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the St. 2  
Charles Preparatory School boys volleyball team on winning the 3  
Division II State Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of 5  
the St. Charles Preparatory School boys volleyball team have 6  
combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of 7  
good sportsmanship to establish themselves as a truly exceptional 8  
squad. With admirable dedication, the Cardinals have worked 9  
diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in their sport, 10  
and as a result, they beat the team from Archbishop Alter High 11  
School in four games to win this year's Division II State 12  
Championship; and 13

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the St. Charles 14  
Preparatory School boys volleyball team are a justifiable source 15  
of pride and an excellent reflection on the players, their 16  
families, their school, their community, and their head coach, Ned 17  
Gruber. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on 18  
the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and 19  
inspiration, and in leading their team to victory, Coach Gruber 20  
and his assistants, Joe Gruber, Phil Hanson, and Adam Reed have 21  
not only helped each player to develop his talents to the fullest, 22  
but they have also instilled in each a valuable sense of 23  
determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; and 24

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 25  
role in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed 26

to pay tribute to each team member, including Jack Schumacher, 27  
Dastan Haghazari, Kevin Gallagher, Nathan Lancia, Ethan Hoying, 28  
Sedric Granger, Andrew Dilley, Tim Plank, Griffin Beam, 29  
Zach Bennison, Alex McLane, Jake Franz, Matthew Sheridan, Ted 30  
Hofmeister, and Michael Jimenez, for a job well done. The maturity 31  
and experience the players have gained through participation in 32  
sports will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the 33  
future; therefore be it 34

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 35  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 36  
this Resolution, commend the St. Charles Preparatory School boys 37  
volleyball team on its tremendous 2018 season and praise the 38  
players and coaches as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it 39  
further 40

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 41  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the St. 42  
Charles Preparatory School boys volleyball team. 43