

## As Offered

**132nd General Assembly  
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**H. R. No. 601**

**Representatives Antonio, Anielski, Patton**

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### A RESOLUTION

Honoring the St. Edward High School football team on  
winning the 2018 Division I State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the St. 2  
Edward High School football team as the 2018 Division I State 3  
Champion; and 4

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members 5  
of St. Edward High School football team have combined talent and 6  
competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship 7  
to establish themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With 8  
admirable dedication, the Eagles have worked diligently toward 9  
attaining ultimate proficiency in football, and as a result, they 10  
defeated a tough Colerain team by the score of 24-10 to win this 11  
year's Division I State Championship title; and 12

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Eagles are a 13  
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on them, 14  
their families, their school, their community, and their coach, 15  
Tom Lombardo. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely 16  
on the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and 17  
inspiration, and in leading their team to victory, Coach Lombardo 18  
and his assistants have not only helped each player to develop his 19  
talents to the fullest, but they have also instilled in each a 20  
valuable sense of determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; 21  
and 22

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 23  
role in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed 24  
to pay tribute to these fine athletes and their outstanding 25  
coaches for a job well done. The maturity and experience the 26

players have gained through participation in sports will greatly 27  
aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 29  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 30  
this Resolution, commend the St. Edward High School football team 31  
on its tremendous 2018 season and salute the players and coaches 32  
as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 34  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the St. 35  
Edward High School football team. 36