

As Introduced

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S. R. No. 206

Senator Hite

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Brendan Siefker on winning a 2017 Division III
State Track and Field Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Brendan Siefker on
earning the 2017 Division III State Track and Field Championship
title in the 1,600-meter run; and

WHEREAS, A member of the Ottoville High School track and
field team, Brendan Siefker is deserving of recognition for his
exemplary accomplishments in running. An exceptional athlete, he
secured this year's Division III State Championship crown in the
1,600-meter run with a time of 4:13.69, and he became the first
boys track and field champion in the school's history and rose to
the top of the Courier All-Time Honor Roll with his success in the
event. His noteworthy record of personal achievement stands as a
hallmark for others to emulate; and

WHEREAS, Through his participation in track and field,
Brendan Siefker has learned important lessons of discipline,
perseverance, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will
undoubtedly be of great benefit to him throughout his life.
Through his outstanding efforts, he has inspired countless
individuals to excel in various areas of endeavor, and he has made
his family, teammates, and coaches very proud; and

WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders
of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the
rewards of individual effort, athletic competition has become a
valuable educational tool. Throughout intense training and
preparation, Brendan Siefker has consistently demonstrated the
talent, integrity, and motivation that are the hallmarks of a true
champion; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 28
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud 29
Brendan Siefker on being named the 2017 Division III State Track 30
and Field Champion in the 1,600-meter run and extend best wishes 31
for continued success; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Brendan Siefker. 34