

As Introduced

**132nd General Assembly
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S. R. No. 262

Senator Huffman

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Shanes Lodge 377 of the Free and Accepted Masons
on its Sesquicentennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to 2
Shanes Lodge 377 of the Free and Accepted Masons as it observes 3
the One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary of its establishment; and 4

WHEREAS, Celebration of this prestigious milestone is, 5
indeed, a fitting time to pay tribute to Shanes Lodge 377 of the 6
Free and Accepted Masons, for it has attained a praiseworthy 7
record of service. The achievements of the group are a justifiable 8
source of pride and an excellent reflection not only on the 9
organization itself but also on its devoted members, for these 10
individuals have distinguished themselves as conscientious and 11
hard-working Ohioans; and 12

WHEREAS, Shanes Lodge 377 of the Free and Accepted Masons 13
continues to offer men of honor and good reputation the 14
opportunity to unite in the practice of brotherly love, relief, 15
and truth, and all those associated with this lodge are to be 16
commended for their foresight, dedication, and selfless donations 17
of time, energy, and ability far beyond what was required or 18
expected. These fine people have earned the respect and admiration 19
of many and have set an example of concerned and responsible 20
citizenship worthy of emulation; and 21

WHEREAS, Formed by the merger of the Shanes, Willshire, 22
Eureka, and Mendon lodges, Shanes Lodge 377 of the Free and 23
Accepted Masons has enhanced the quality of life in our society, 24
and through its generous contributions, it has gained the esteem 25
and gratitude of all those it has so capably served. We are 26
certain that as this worthy Masonic group maintains its dedication 27

to service, it will continue in the tradition of excellence that 28
has long been the hallmark of Freemasonry; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 30
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 31
congratulate Shanes Lodge 377 of the Free and Accepted Masons on 32
its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary and extend best wishes for 33
the future; and be it further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 35
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Shanes Lodge 377 of the 36
Free and Accepted Masons. 37