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S. R. No. 3

Senator Obhof

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Major Chad M. McGinty on his retirement from the
Ohio State Highway Patrol.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to 2
Major Chad M. McGinty on his retirement from the Ohio State 3
Highway Patrol; and 4

WHEREAS, Commencing his career as a trooper with the Ohio 5
State Highway Patrol in 1989, Chad McGinty has demonstrated an 6
unwavering commitment to professional excellence and fulfilled his 7
diverse responsibilities with integrity, sensitivity, and the 8
utmost competence. Throughout his distinguished twenty-seven years 9
of service with the Ohio State Highway Patrol, he has served at 10
various posts, including Defiance, Fremont, Mansfield, Bucyrus, 11
Ashland, and Mt. Gilead, and he held the ranks of sergeant, 12
assistant post commander, lieutenant, post commander, and staff 13
lieutenant before being promoted to the rank of major and assuming 14
responsibilities as commander of the Office of Field Operations in 15
2014. In addition, he has conscientiously performed a wide variety 16
of duties as a member of the Special Response Team and Honor 17
Guard, an instructor at the Ohio State Highway Patrol Training 18
Academy, and the governmental affairs spokesperson for the Office 19
of the Superintendent, and he has brought insight and exceptional 20
ability to his important work; and 21

WHEREAS, Chad McGinty has gained the esteem and gratitude of 22
his fellow troopers and area residents for his energetic and 23
enthusiastic approach to his responsibilities, and his exemplary 24
commitment to the highest professional standards. With a strong 25
and continuing interest in preserving the law, he has 26

constructively shaped a positive impression with law enforcement 27
offices throughout our state with his example, helping to instill 28
in each a strong work ethic and moral character; and 29

WHEREAS, Chad McGinty has never been content to take a 30
passive role in life, and his impact on the many units, teams, and 31
task forces of the Ohio State Highway Patrol has been widely felt 32
and earned him respect throughout the state. Initiative and 33
dedication have been exemplified in all of his personal and 34
professional endeavors, and he is deserving of high praise; 35
therefore be it 36

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 37
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, salute the 38
superlative contributions of Major Chad M. McGinty to the Ohio 39
State Highway Patrol and wish him continued success in the future; 40
and be it further 41

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 42
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Major Chad M. McGinty. 43