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Senator Dolan

A R E S O L U T I O N

Honoring the Hawken School girls swim team on winning the
2018 Division II State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Hawken School
girls swim team as the 2018 Division II State Champion; and

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of athletes, the members of the
Hawken School girls swim team have combined talent and competitive
spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish
themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With admirable
dedication, the Hawks have worked diligently toward attaining
ultimate proficiency in their sport, and as a result, they scored
345 points to win this year's Division II State Championship
title, their twentieth consecutive state crown; and

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Hawks are a
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on them,
their families, their school, their community, and their coach,
Todd Clark. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely
on the ability of the coach to provide both guidance and
inspiration, and in leading his team to victory, Coach Clark has
not only helped each member to develop her talents to the fullest
but has also instilled in each a valuable sense of determination,
perseverance, and camaraderie; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important
role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely
pleased to pay tribute to these fine athletes and their
outstanding coach for a job well done. The maturity and experience
the members have gained through their participation in sports will
greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future;

therefore be it 27

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 28
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 29
Hawken School girls swim team for tremendous attainment and extend 30
best wishes for the years to come; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 32
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Hawken School girls 33
swim team. 34