

**As Adopted by the Senate**

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**S. R. No. 570**

**Senator Gardner**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring CJ Layne on winning the 2018 Division II State  
Swimming Championship in the 100-yard breaststroke.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend CJ Layne as the 2018 2  
Division II State Swimming Champion in the 3  
100-yard breaststroke; and 4

WHEREAS, A diligent and capable individual, CJ Layne is 5  
deserving of recognition for his exemplary accomplishments as a 6  
member of the Bowling Green High School swimming and diving team. 7  
An exceptional athlete, he won first place in the 100-yard 8  
breaststroke at this year's Division II State Meet with an 9  
impressive time of 55.83 seconds, and his noteworthy record of 10  
personal achievement stands as a hallmark for others to emulate; 11  
and 12

WHEREAS, Through his participation in swimming, CJ Layne has 13  
learned important lessons of perseverance, hard work, and good 14  
sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to him 15  
throughout his life. Through his outstanding efforts, he has 16  
inspired countless individuals to excel in various areas of 17  
endeavor; and 18

WHEREAS, Taking part in high school sports has enabled CJ 19  
Layne to learn much about dedication, self-discipline, and 20  
leadership. By developing such exceptional prowess as a swimmer, 21  
he has amply revealed his formidable athletic gifts and 22  
competitive spirit, and it is no surprise that he has won so many 23  
admirers; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 25

General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud CJ	26
Layne on his personal success and salute him as one of Ohio's	27
finest young athletes; and be it further	28
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	29
authenticated copy of this Resolution to CJ Layne.	30