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**H. R. No. 104**

**Representative Oelslager**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Madeline Berrey as a 2019 State Gymnastics  
Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to honor Madeline 2  
Berrey, a senior at Hoover High School, on winning the vault at 3  
the 2019 State Gymnastics Meet; and 4

WHEREAS, Madeline Berrey's outstanding ability and spirited 5  
drive, as well as her talent and tenacity, have certainly 6  
distinguished her as a superior athlete, and as a result of her 7  
tireless work throughout the past season, she placed first in the 8  
vault with a score of 9.725 and second in the all-around 9  
competition with a score of 37.525, both for the second 10  
consecutive year. She has gained the respect and admiration of all 11  
those who have witnessed her in action, and defending her state 12  
championship title truly caps an impressive high school career; 13  
and 14

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual 15  
accomplishment more than gymnastics. Athletes such as Madeline 16  
Berrey exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence in any 17  
sport, including discipline, agility, conditioning, and focus. 18  
Indeed, throughout long hours of practice and competition, she has 19  
consistently demonstrated the talent and motivation that are the 20  
hallmarks of a true champion; and 21

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the 22  
future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self- 23  
reliance and the rewards of individual effort, athletic 24  
competition has become a valuable tool. Through her participation 25  
in sports, Madeline Berrey has learned lessons of perseverance, 26

hard work, and fair and honest competition that will undoubtedly 27  
be of great benefit to her throughout her lifetime; therefore be 28  
it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 30  
Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 31  
this Resolution, congratulate Madeline Berrey on her outstanding 32  
performance at the 2019 State Gymnastics Meet and look to her 33  
future with optimism; and be it further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 35  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Madeline 36  
Berrey. 37