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Representative Leland

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Makiya Montgomery as a 2019 Division II State track and field champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Makiya Montgomery on placing first in the 100- and 200-meter dashes at the 2019 Division II State Track and Field Meet; and

WHEREAS, A junior member of the Beechcroft High School girls track and field team, Makiya Montgomery is deserving of recognition for her exemplary accomplishments as a runner. An exceptional athlete, she secured this year's Division II State Championship crowns in the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.97 seconds and the 200-meter dash with a time of 24.12 seconds, and her noteworthy record of personal achievement stands as a hallmark for others to emulate; and

WHEREAS, Through her participation in track and field, Makiya Montgomery has learned important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to her throughout her life. Through her outstanding efforts, she has inspired countless individuals to excel in various areas of endeavor, and she has made her family, teammates, and coaches very proud; and

WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. Throughout intense training and preparation, Makiya Montgomery has consistently demonstrated the talent, integrity, and motivation that are the hallmarks of a true champion; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 27
Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 28
this Resolution, honor Makiya Montgomery as the 2019 Division II 29
State Track and Field Champion in the 100- and 200-meter dashes 30
and extend best wishes for the future; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 32
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Makiya 33
Montgomery. 34