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**S. R. No. 184**

**Senator Hoagland**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Peoples Bank Theatre on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Peoples Bank Theatre on its One Hundredth Anniversary, celebrated May 9, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is, indeed, a fitting tribute to the Peoples Bank Theatre, for this fine facility has achieved a praiseworthy record of service to the Marietta community. Established in 1919 as a vaudeville house called the Hippodrome, the theatre has undergone numerous renovations, changing locations and names, and today, it shows movies on the big screen and features a large stage and accompanying orchestra pit that can be used for dance recitals, ballet, magic acts, graduations, corporate events, concerts, local plays, and touring performances. Operated by The Hippodrome/Colony Historical Theatre Association, Inc., the theatre will be unveiling its Ohio Historical Marker at this year's anniversary event, and it has clearly proven itself to be one of the finest venues in the area; and

WHEREAS, The Peoples Bank Theatre has enhanced the quality of life within the surrounding area, and its generous contributions to Marietta's cultural heritage have earned it the gratitude and respect of the community it has so capably served. We are certain that as this exemplary facility maintains its dedication to the arts, it will continue in the tradition of excellence that has long been its hallmark; and

WHEREAS, All those associated with the Peoples Bank Theatre are to be applauded for their foresight, commitment, and selfless donations of time, energy, and ability far beyond what was

required or expected. These fine people have gained the esteem and 28  
admiration of many and have set an example of concerned and 29  
responsible citizenship worthy of emulation; therefore be it 30

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 31  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 32  
congratulate the Peoples Bank Theatre on its One Hundredth 33  
Anniversary and extend best wishes for the future; and be it 34  
further 35

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 36  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Peoples Bank Theatre. 37