

**As Adopted by the Senate**

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**S. R. No. 578**

**Senator Dolan**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Gilmour Academy volleyball team as the 2020  
Division II State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly 1  
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Gilmour Academy volleyball 2  
team on securing the 2020 Division II State Championship title; and 3

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of the 4  
Gilmour Academy volleyball team have combined talent and competitive 5  
spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish 6  
themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With admirable dedication, 7  
the Lancers have worked diligently toward attaining ultimate 8  
proficiency in their sport, and as a result, they defeated a tough 9  
Notre Dame-Cathedral Latin team by the score of 3-2 to win this year's 10  
Division II State Championship crown and finish the season with an 11  
impressive 23-1 record; and 12

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Lancers are a 13  
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on them, their 14  
families, their school, their community, and their coach, 15  
Dan Coughlin. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on 16  
the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and inspiration, 17  
and in leading their team to victory, Coach Coughlin and his 18  
assistants have not only helped each player to develop their talents 19  
to the fullest, but they have also instilled in each a valuable sense 20  
of determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; and 21

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role 22  
in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased 23  
to pay tribute to the fine athletes of the Gilmour Academy volleyball 24  
team and their outstanding coaches for a job well done. The maturity 25  
and experience the players have gained through participation in sports 26

will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; 27  
therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd General 29  
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the Gilmour 30  
Academy volleyball team on its tremendous 2020 season and salute the 31  
players and coaches as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it 32  
further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Gilmour Academy 35  
volleyball team. 36