

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 405**

**Representative Kick**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Sara Keener

as a 2022 World Taekwondo Championships gold medalist.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 134th 1  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Sara Keener on 2  
winning six medals at the 2022 World Taekwondo Championships; and 3

WHEREAS, A remarkable individual, Sara Keener has combined talent 4  
and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship 5  
to establish herself as a truly exceptional athlete. With admirable 6  
dedication, she has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate 7  
proficiency in the martial arts, and as a result, she won a gold medal 8  
in the patterns category and a silver medal in the sparring category 9  
of the women's second-degree black belt senior division at this year's 10  
World Taekwondo Championships in Amsterdam. In addition, she helped 11  
the U.S. women's team win medals in the patterns, sparring, specialty 12  
breaking, and power breaking categories; and 13

WHEREAS, Sara Keener's accomplishments and leadership, both in 14  
and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine 15  
reflection not only on her but also on her family, her teammates, her 16  
coaches, and her community. Her unwavering commitment to excellence 17  
has earned her the respect and esteem of many, and she is certainly 18  
worthy of high praise; and 19

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role 20  
in the development of role models for our young people, we are 21  
extremely pleased to pay tribute to Sara Keener on her exemplary 22  
achievements. Indeed, the same responsibility and experience she has 23  
gained through her participation in taekwondo will greatly aid her in 24  
meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 26  
the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 27  
commend Sara Keener on her success at the 2022 World Taekwondo 28  
Championships and extend best wishes for the years to come; and be it 29  
further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 31  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Sara Keener. 32