

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 275

Senators Maharath, Hottinger

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Reynoldsburg High School girls basketball team as the 2022 Division I State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Reynoldsburg High School girls basketball team on winning the 2022 Division I State Championship; and

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of the Reynoldsburg High School girls basketball team have combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With admirable dedication, the Raiders have worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in their sport, and as a result, they defeated a tough Mason High School team by the score of 63-56 to secure this year's Division I State Championship title; and

WHEREAS, The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on the ability of coaches to provide both guidance and inspiration. In leading their team to victory, Coach Jack Purtell and his assistants have not only helped their players to develop their talents to the fullest, but they have also instilled in them a valuable sense of determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased to pay tribute to these fine athletes and their outstanding coaches for a job well done. The maturity and experience the Raiders have gained through participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the

Reynoldsburg High School girls basketball team on its tremendous 2021- 26
2022 season and salute the players and coaches as some of Ohio's 27
finest citizens; and be it further 28

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 29
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Reynoldsburg High School 30
girls basketball team. 31