

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 284

Senator Hottinger

A RESOLUTION

Honoring David McClelland on winning a 2022 Division II
State Wrestling Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly 1
of Ohio are pleased to recognize David McClelland as the 2022 Division 2
II State Wrestling Champion in the 132-pound weight class; and 3

WHEREAS, David McClelland's outstanding ability and spirited 4
drive, as well as his quickness and tenacity, have distinguished him 5
as a superior athlete and an exemplary member of the St. Francis 6
DeSales High School wrestling team. Among his achievements this 7
season, he won the Division II Wilmington district and Licking Valley 8
sectional championship titles on his way to securing the Division II 9
State Championship Crown in the 132-pound weight class, having 10
finished with an overall 43-5 record, and his success is a testament 11
to his drive and devotion. In addition, he was selected to the 2022 12
All-Metro first team by the *Columbus Dispatch*, and he has gained the 13
admiration and respect of all those who have witnessed him in action; 14
and 15

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual accomplishment 16
more than wrestling, and David McClelland has exemplified the 17
qualities necessary for excellence in this activity, including 18
discipline, agility, conditioning, and focus. Indeed, throughout long 19
hours of practice, he has consistently demonstrated the talent and 20
motivation that are the hallmarks of a true champion; and 21

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future 22
leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and 23
the rewards of individual effort, high school athletic games have 24
become a valuable tool. Through his participation in wrestling, David 25
McClelland has learned lessons of perseverance, hard work, and fair 26

and honest competition that he will carry throughout his lifetime; 27
therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General 29
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate David 30
McClelland on his state championship and extend best wishes for 31
continued success; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33
authenticated copy of this Resolution to David McClelland. 34