

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 35

Senator Dolan

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Hawken School boys 400-yard freestyle relay team on its 2021 Division II State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize the Hawken School boys 400-yard freestyle relay team on securing the 2021 Division II State Championship title; and

WHEREAS, An exceptional ensemble of young men, the Hawken School boys 400-yard freestyle relay team is comprised of athletes who worked diligently to showcase the collective talents of their excellent squad. With tireless commitment, members Connor Brown, Will Dietz, Michael Butler, and Alex Podrez trained meticulously, combining outstanding stamina with exceptional drive, and as a result, they won this year's Division II State Championship crown with a time of 3:10.32; and

WHEREAS, The accomplishments of the Hawken School boys 400-yard freestyle relay team are excellent examples of what a squad of young athletes can achieve when supported by a dedicated coaching staff and a committed group of sports families and athletic boosters. They are certainly deserving of applause; and

WHEREAS, Throughout extensive conditioning, training, and competition, the members of the Hawken School boys 400-yard freestyle relay team have developed into a group of dynamic athletic leaders, and they can rest assured that as they meet their future challenges, they will take with them the lessons of comradery, hard work, and discipline. Clearly, these young men have met the demands of an extensive training regimen, and it has paid handsome dividends; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General 26
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, salute the Hawken 27
School boys 400-yard freestyle relay team as the 2021 Division II 28
State Champion and applaud all those involved with this noteworthy 29
program; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Hawken School boys 400- 32
yard freestyle relay team. 33