

As Adopted by the House

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H. R. No. 184

Representative Russo



A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Bishop Watterson High School girls lacrosse team
on securing the 2023 Division II State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 135th
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to applaud the Bishop Watterson
High School girls lacrosse team as the 2023 Division II State
Champion; and

WHEREAS, The Bishop Watterson High School girls lacrosse team is
comprised of many remarkable athletes who have worked diligently to
showcase the collective talents of their exceptional squad, and time
and again, they have risen to the occasion. At this year's Division II
State Championship, the Eagles came back from an early deficit to win
the state crown with an impressive score of 10-8, and the members
amply demonstrated impressive determination, maturity, and finesse in
pursuit of this achievement; and

WHEREAS, This triumph reflects the staunch resolve of these young
women, and it signifies the acquisition of valuable experience that is
sure to benefit them in later life. Thanks to the tireless efforts of
an exceptional Bishop Watterson High School girls lacrosse team
coaching staff, including Coach Eileen Barrett, as well as the support
of their Eagles community, these athletes have met the demands of an
extensive training regimen, and they have just cause for celebration;
and

WHEREAS, All those who comprise the Bishop Watterson High School
girls lacrosse team have set an excellent example of what a dedicated
group of athletes can achieve when guided by a committed coaching
staff and surrounded by loyal fans, sports families, and boosters.
These young women have certainly proven themselves to be dynamic
athletic leaders, and we are confident that as they meet future

challenges, they will take with them the valuable lessons they have 27
gained through their participation in lacrosse; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 29
the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 30
commend the Bishop Watterson High School girls lacrosse team on its 31
2023 Division II State Championship title and count its players and 32
coaches among the ranks of outstanding Ohioans; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 34
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Bishop Watterson 35
High School girls lacrosse team. 36