

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 471**

**Representative Baker**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team  
as the 2024 Division II State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 135th  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Purcell  
Marian High School girls basketball team on winning the 2024 Division  
II State Championship; and

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of the  
Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team have combined talent  
and spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish  
themselves as truly exceptional competitors. With admirable  
dedication, the Cavaliers have worked diligently toward attaining  
ultimate proficiency in basketball, and as a result, they defeated a  
tough Laurel School team by the score of 79-52 to win this year's  
Division II State Championship, their third consecutive title; and

WHEREAS, The Cavaliers' achievements and leadership are a  
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on the  
players, their families, their school, their community, and their  
coach, Jamar Mosley. In leading his team to victory, Coach Mosley has  
not only helped the athletes to develop their talents to the fullest  
but 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 exemplary athletes and their outstanding coach  
for a job well done. The maturity and experience the team members have  
gained through their participation in sports will greatly aid them in  
meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 26  
the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 27  
commend the Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team on its 28  
tremendous season and salute the members and coach as some of Ohio's 29  
finest citizens; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 31  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Purcell Marian 32  
High School girls basketball team. 33