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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Riley Nixon

as a 2024 Division III State Track and Field Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 135th  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Riley Nixon, a  
senior at Ottawa Hills High School, on earning the 2024 Division III  
State Track and Field Championship title in the 1,600-meter run; and

WHEREAS, Displaying exceptional form, ability, leadership, and  
dedication during the 2024 season, Riley Nixon has certainly  
distinguished himself as one of the most talented distance runners in  
the State of Ohio. A tenacious competitor, he can always be counted on  
to shine, and at this year's Division III State Track and Field Meet,  
he placed first in the 1,600-meter run with a time of 4:12.70, as well  
as fifth in the 3,200-meter run; and

WHEREAS, Throughout intense training and preparation, Riley Nixon  
has consistently demonstrated the talent, integrity, and motivation  
that are the hallmarks of a true champion. He has inspired his  
teammates, thrilled his fans, gained the respect of his opponents, and  
made his coaches and family very proud; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role  
in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed to pay  
tribute to Riley Nixon on an exemplary track career with the Green  
Bears. Indeed, the same maturity and experience he has gained through  
his participation in sports will greatly aid him in meeting the  
challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of  
the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,  
applaud Riley Nixon on placing first at the 2024 Division III State

Track and Field Meet and extend best wishes for the future; and be it 26  
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RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 28  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Riley Nixon. 29