

As Introduced

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S. R. No. 237

Senator DeMora

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Addie Engel as the 2023 NCAA Great Lakes Regional runner-up in women's cross country.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Addie Engel on placing second at the 2023 National Collegiate Athletic Association Great Lakes Regional women's cross country meet; and

WHEREAS, A senior at The Ohio State University, Addie Engel has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish herself as a truly exceptional young athlete. With admirable dedication, she has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in cross country, and as a result, she won the Big Ten Conference Championship with a time of 20:47.9 to claim her second consecutive league title, placed second at the NCAA Great Lakes Regional Meet with a time of 20:07.4, and qualified for the NCAA Championship this season; and

WHEREAS, Addie Engel's accomplishments and leadership, both in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine reflection not only on her but also on her family, her teammates, her coaches, her school, and her community. Her unwavering commitment to excellence has earned her All-Big Ten Conference first-team honors and All-Great Lakes Region honors, and she is certainly worthy of high praise; 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 Addie Engel on an exemplary season. Indeed, the same maturity and experience she has gained through her participation in cross country will greatly aid her in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 27
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Addie Engel as 28
the 2023 NCAA Great Lakes Regional runner-up and extend best wishes 29
for continued success; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Addie Engel. 32