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**S. R. No. 68**

**Senator Huffman, M.**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Mercer County Courthouse on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Mercer County Courthouse on its One Hundredth Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a fitting tribute to the Mercer County Courthouse, for it has long stood as a piece of the area's unique story. Dedicated in 1923, the courthouse has become a beloved pillar of its community and the centerpiece of the City of Celina and Mercer County; and

WHEREAS, The Mercer County Courthouse has justly served as the physical embodiment of the area's commitment to law and order. Its anniversary is a tremendous source of pride and an excellent reflection not only on the building itself but also on all those who have sustained it and who have given tirelessly of their time, energy, and support to this part of Ohio's history; and

WHEREAS, The Mercer County Courthouse has certainly become an emblem of the area's rich heritage. In this modern era, in which the durability of goods and values is often measured in months and days rather than in years and decades, it is enlightening to discover that this venerable structure still stands for future generations as a testament to its achievements; therefore be it; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the Mercer County Courthouse on its One Hundredth Anniversary and look to its future with optimism; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Mercer County Courthouse.