

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 96

Senator DeMora

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Lyle Yost as the 2023 NCCA Division I Champion in the 1-meter board.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to honor Lyle Yost on winning the 2023 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I 1-meter diving title; and

WHEREAS, A senior member of The Ohio State University men's swimming and diving team, Lyle Yost has not only inspired his teammates and thrilled fans and spectators throughout the area, but he has also won the respect and admiration of his opponents. Consistently displaying exceptional form, ability, and commitment during his collegiate career, he has worked diligently toward the attainment of ultimate proficiency in his sport, and at this year's NCCA Division I Championship meet, he placed first in the 1-meter diving event with a total score of 443.95, fifth in the 3-meter diving event, and sixth in the platform event; and

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual accomplishment more than diving. Athletes such as Lyle Yost exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence in any event, including discipline, agility, conditioning, and focus. Indeed, throughout long hours of practice and competition, he has consistently demonstrated the talent and motivation that are the hallmarks of a true champion, and his exemplary performance this season has earned him numerous accolades, including the 2023 Arthur Ashe Jr. Male Sports Scholar of the Year and the College Swimming and Diving Coaches Association of America Diver of the Year awards as well as three NCAA All-American first-team honors; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and

the rewards of individual effort, collegial athletic competition has 27
become a valuable educational tool. Through his participation in 28
sports, Lyle Yost has learned lessons of perseverance, hard work, and 29
fair and honest competition that will undoubtedly be of great benefit 30
to him throughout his lifetime; therefore be it 31

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 32
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Lyle Yost 33
on his outstanding success and extend best wishes for the future; and 34
be it further 35

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 36
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Lyle Yost. 37