

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 99**

**Senators Wilson, Ingram**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team on securing the 2023 Division II State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to applaud the Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team on capturing the 2023 Division II State Championship; and

WHEREAS, The Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team is comprised of tremendous athletes who collectively worked to showcase the talents of their exceptional squad. The Cavaliers trained diligently, combining the stamina of a young fleet of players with the drive of a seasoned group of leaders, and as a result, they were victorious over the Northwest Indians with a final score of 57-48 to win the Division II State Championship for a second consecutive year. Time and again, they have risen to the occasion, amply demonstrating their unflagging determination, and their impressive maturity and finesse have gained them widespread respect, even among their most daunting rivals. They are certainly deserving of this crown; and

WHEREAS, This triumph reflects the staunch resolve of these young women, and it signifies the acquisition of valuable experience that is sure to benefit them in later life. Thanks in part to the tireless efforts of an exceptional coaching staff, including Coach Jamar Mosley, the members of the Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team have met the demands of an extensive training regimen, and it has paid handsome dividends; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team have set themselves apart as an excellent example of

what a dedicated group of athletes can achieve when guided by a 25  
committed coaching staff and surrounded by loyal fans, sports 26  
families, and boosters. Throughout the season, these young women have 27  
developed into a dynamic group, and they can rest assured that as they 28  
meet their future challenges, they will take with them the lessons of 29  
camaraderie, hard work, and discipline; therefore be it 30

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 31  
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute to the 32  
Purcell Marian High School girls basketball team on its 2023 Division 33  
II State Championship title and look to its future with optimism; and 34  
be it further 35

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 36  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Purcell Marian High 37  
School girls basketball team. 38