

## As Offered

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**H. R. No. 149**

**Representative Klopfenstein**

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### A RESOLUTION

Honoring Owen Scott on winning a 2025 Division II  
State Track and Field Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend Owen Scott as the 2025  
Division II State Champion in the 1,600-meter run; and

WHEREAS, A diligent and capable individual, Owen Scott is  
deserving of recognition for his exemplary accomplishments as a member  
of the Van Wert High School track and field team. At the 2025 Division  
II State Meet, he won first place in the 1,600-meter run with a  
personal-best and school-record time of 4:10.19, and his notable  
record of personal achievement stands as a hallmark for others; and

WHEREAS, Through his participation in sports, Owen Scott has  
learned important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and  
good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to him  
throughout his life. Through his outstanding efforts, he has inspired  
many people to excel in various areas of endeavor, and he has set an  
example worthy of emulation; and

WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders of  
our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards  
of individual effort, athletic competition has become a valuable  
educational tool. With sports contributing to the development of  
countless youth, we are happy to congratulate such a fine athlete as  
Owen Scott; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of  
the 136th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,  
applaud Owen Scott on winning the 2025 Division II State Championship  
in the 1,600-meter run and extend best wishes for continued success;

and be it further 26

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 27

a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Owen Scott. 28