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H. R. No. 178

Representative Craig

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Kaitlyn Carr as a 2025 Division III State Champion in track and field.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th 1 General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Kaitlyn Carr on 2 placing first in the 1,600- and 3,200-meter runs at the 2025 Division 3 III State Track and Field Meet; and 4

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Carr's accomplishments are truly noteworthy, for 5 she has clearly demonstrated her talent and perseverance, as well as 6 her mental and physical fortitude. A standout member of the Smithville 7 High School girls track and field team, she has exemplified all of the 8 characteristics which are essential for success both in and out of the 9 sports world, including courage, integrity, and an innate sense of the 10 principles of good sportsmanship, and at this year's Division III 11 State Track and Field Meet, she secured first place in the 1,600- and 12 3,200-meter runs with times of 4:49.44 and 10:48.87, respectively, 13 winning the 1,600-meter title for a second consecutive year and 14 setting a school record in that event; and 15

WHEREAS, By developing such remarkable prowess as a runner,16Kaitlyn Carr has earned the appreciation of her fellow athletes, the17devotion of countless fans, and the respect of even her most18determined rivals. Her outstanding record of achievement stands as a19hallmark worthy of emulation, and she has inspired many individuals to20excel in numerous areas of endeavor; and21

WHEREAS, Running is an event which requires exceptional stamina 22 and natural ability, and Kaitlyn Carr is to be commended for her 23 commitment to this demanding activity. In attaining her athletic 24 goals, she has certainly distinguished herself as a true champion, and 25 her contributions to the Smithville athletic program are sure to be 26 applaud Kaitlyn Carr on her state championships and salute her as a fine Ohioan; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 32 a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Kaitlyn Carr. 33

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