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Representative White, A.

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Rod Owens as a 2025 Division II State Champion in wrestling.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Rod Owens on securing the 2025 Division II State Wrestling Championship title in 3 the 175-pound weight class; and WHEREAS, Rod Owens' accomplishments are truly noteworthy, for he has clearly demonstrated his talent and perseverance, as well as his mental and physical fortitude as a wrestler. As a junior member of the 7 Archbishop Alter High School wrestling team, he has exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of the sports world, including courage, integrity, and an innate sense of 10 the principles of good sportsmanship, and as a result, he won first 11 place in the 175-pound weight class at this year's Division II State 12 meet; and 13 WHEREAS, By developing such remarkable prowess in wrestling, Rod 14 Owens has earned the appreciation of his fellow athletes, the devotion 15 of countless fans, and the respect of even his most determined rivals. 16 Indeed, his outstanding record of achievement is sure to inspire 17 future generations of Knights; and 18 WHEREAS, Wrestling is a sport which requires exceptional stamina 19 and natural ability, and Rod Owens is to be commended for his 20 commitment to this demanding activity. In attaining his athletic 21 goals, he has certainly distinguished himself as a true champion; 22 therefore be it 23 RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 24

the 136th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,

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recognize Rod Owens on his state wrestling championship and honor as a fine Ohioan; and be it further	him	26
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives tran a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Rod Owens.	smit	28