

As Adopted by the House

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H. R. No. 288

Representative Newman

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Landon Kimmel as the 2025 Division II State
Boys Cross Country Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to
Landon Kimmel on securing the 2025 Division II State Championship in
boys cross country; and

WHEREAS, A diligent and capable individual, Landon Kimmel is
deserving of acknowledgement for his exemplary accomplishments as a
member of the Tippecanoe High School boys cross country team. A
remarkable athlete, he won this year's Division II State Championship
with a time of 15:12.70, and his notable record of personal
achievement stands as a hallmark for others; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the 2025 season, Landon Kimmel prepared
conscientiously in pursuit of the state crown, devoting countless
hours to training and practice in order to ensure peak conditioning.
This demanding regimen has paid handsome dividends, for he certainly
has set an example for others to emulate. Time and again, he has risen
to the occasion, maintaining his morale, composure, and good
sportsmanship, and he has gained the respect of even his most
determined rivals; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach tomorrow's
leaders the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of
individual effort, high school athletics have become a valuable tool.
We are proud to salute Landon Kimmel on his athletic achievement, and
we are confident that the skills and dedication he has demonstrated as
a cross country runner will aid him in facing challenges; therefore be
it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 26
the 136th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 27
congratulate Landon Kimmel as the 2025 Division II State Boys Cross 28
Country Champion and look with optimism to the years ahead; and be it 29
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RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 31
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Landon Kimmel. 32