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Representatives Sigrist, Stewart

A RESOLUTION

Honoring MaKenzie Love as the 2025 National Braille
Challenge Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate MaKenzie Love on
placing first in the varsity division at the 2025 National Braille
Challenge Finals; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Teays Valley High School, MaKenzie Love has
established high personal goals and has striven to reach her full
potential. A person of tremendous intelligence and integrity, she can
be justifiably proud of her exemplary record of achievement at the
2025 National Braille Challenge Finals, where she won first place in
the varsity division and was presented with the Harley Fetterman Award
for Excellence in Charts and Graphs; and

WHEREAS, Undaunted by challenges, MaKenzie Love has always pursued
her objectives with initiative and persistence, and with her vitality,
intelligence, confidence, and positive outlook, she has set a fine
example for her peers. The experience and self-confidence that she has
gained through her involvement in the Braille Challenge will no doubt
be of great benefit to her throughout her lifetime; and

WHEREAS, MaKenzie Love's accomplishments are a justifiable source
of pride and an excellent reflection not only on her but also on her
family, her alma mater, and her community. A five-time Ohio Braille
Challenge winner, a four-time National Braille Challenge finalist, and
the recipient of a variety of prestigious scholarships, she has
exhibited a sincere desire to do her best in all of her endeavors, and
this, coupled with her maturity and initiative, shows her potential to
become one of tomorrow's leaders; 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
commend MaKenzie Love on her recent accolade and salute her as one of 28
Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 30
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to MaKenzie Love. 31