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**H. R. No. 497**

**Representative Newman**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Carson Holtvogt as a 2026 Division II State 1  
Track and Field Champion. 2

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th 3  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Carson Holtvogt 4  
on winning the 2026 Division II State Track and Field Championship in 5  
the pole vault; and 6

WHEREAS, A sophomore at Piqua High School, Carson Holtvogt has 7  
combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good 8  
sportsmanship to establish himself as a truly exceptional young 9  
athlete. With admirable dedication, he has worked diligently toward 10  
attaining ultimate proficiency in track and field, and as a result, he 11  
won first place in the pole vault with a mark of 15 feet, 8 inches at 12  
this year's Division II State Meet; and 13

WHEREAS, Carson Holtvogt's accomplishments and leadership, both in 14  
and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine 15  
reflection not only on him but also on his family, his teammates, his 16  
coaches, his school, and his community. His unwavering commitment to 17  
excellence has earned him the respect and esteem of many, and he is 18  
certainly worthy of high praise; and 19

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role 20  
in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased 21  
to pay tribute to Carson Holtvogt on an exemplary season. Indeed, the 22  
same maturity and experience he has gained through his participation 23  
in track and field will greatly aid him in meeting the challenges of 24  
the future; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 26  
the 136th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 27

commend Carson Holtvogt as a 2026 Division II State Track and Field 28  
Champion and extend best wishes for continued success; and be it 29  
further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 31  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Carson Holtvogt. 32