

As Introduced

**136th General Assembly
Regular Session
2025-2026**

S. R. No. 210

Senator Manning

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge 136 on its
One Hundred Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge 136
on the auspicious occasion of its One Hundredth Twenty-fifth
Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Celebration of this prestigious milestone is, indeed, a
fitting tribute to Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge 136. Established in
1900, the organization was created to support the Croat community that
was emerging in the area, and over the past twelve and a half decades,
it has experienced tremendous growth and success. Clearly, this pillar
of the community is deserving of high praise, and its accomplishments
are a justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection not only
on the group itself but also on all those who sustain it; and

WHEREAS, Since its inception, Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge 136
has enhanced the quality of life for generations of families in the
Lorain Croatian community, and it has become the source of numerous
beneficial initiatives. Its generous contributions have earned it the
appreciation and respect of countless thankful residents, and we are
certain that as this exemplary institution maintains its unfaltering
dedication to service, it will continue in the tradition of excellence
that has become its hallmark; and

WHEREAS, All those associated with Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge
136 are to be commended for their foresight, dedication, and selfless
donations of time, energy, and ability far beyond what was required or
expected. These fine people have gained the esteem and admiration of
many and have set an example of concerned and responsible citizenship
worthy of emulation; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General 27
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud Croatian 28
Fraternal Union Lodge 136 on its One Hundred Twenty-fifth Anniversary 29
and extend best wishes for ongoing success; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Croatian Fraternal Union 32
Lodge 136. 33