

As Introduced

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S. R. No. 237

Senator Romanchuk

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Lexington High School boys cross country
team on winning the 2025 Division II State
Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly
of Ohio are pleased to recognize the Lexington High School boys cross
country team as the 2025 Division II State Champion; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Lexington High School boys cross
country team are exemplary athletes, and they have shown themselves to
be truly remarkable competitors. During the season, the Minutemen
compiled 110 points to win the 2025 Division II State Championship.
The unwavering commitment of the runners and coaches has earned them
the esteem of many, and they are certainly deserving of high praise;
and

WHEREAS, Coaches Tricia Volz and Denise Benson have demonstrated
remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and dedication in guiding the Lexington
High School boys cross country team to victory, and their skill is
reflected in the squad's outstanding accomplishments. Due largely to
their tireless efforts, the members have distinguished themselves on
the course, and they have received respect and admiration from all who
know them; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future
leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and
the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has
become a valuable tool. By taking part in sports, the members of the
Lexington High School boys cross country team have gained discipline
and perseverance that will help them in all aspects of their lives;
therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General 25
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute to the 26
Lexington High School boys cross country team as the 2025 Division II 27
State Champion and honor all those who contributed to the success of 28
this fine squad; and be it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Lexington High School 31
boys cross country team. 32