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Senator Hicks-Hudson

A RESOLUTION

Highlighting the importance of the United States founding 1
documents, including the Constitution of the United 2
States, in establishing the rights and privileges of 3
citizens and residents. 4

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the United States is a 5
foundational document of the country establishing the rights and 6
privileges of citizens and residents; and 7

WHEREAS, The First Amendment guarantees to all people of 8
the United States the right to free speech, the right to 9
peaceably assemble, and the right to petition the government for 10
a redress of grievances; and 11

WHEREAS, The Fourth Amendment guarantees to all people to 12
be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects against 13
unreasonable searches and seizures; and 14

WHEREAS, The Fifth and Fourteenth Amendments guarantee to 15
all people the due process of law; and 16

WHEREAS, The Fourteenth Amendment guarantees the rights of 17
all persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject 18
to the jurisdiction thereof; and 19

WHEREAS, The Immigration and Nationality Act establishes 20

the procedures and requirements for lawful entry into the United 21
States, and the rights and privileges granted to immigrants; now 22
therefore be it 23

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th 24
General Assembly of the State of Ohio, call for a reminder of 25
the importance of these foundational documents; and be it 26
further 27

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th 28
General Assembly of the State of Ohio, call for education on the 29
importance of the Constitution of the United States and the Bill 30
of Rights to be a priority for all citizens of the state; and be 31
it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit duly 33
authenticated copies of this resolution to all members of the 34
Ohio Congressional delegation. 35