

**As Adopted by the Senate**

**136th General Assembly  
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**S. R. No. 406**

**Senator Landis**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Mark Lorson on winning the 2026 Division III 1  
State Championship in the high jump. 2

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly 3  
of Ohio are pleased to commend Mark Lorson as the 2026 Division III 4  
State Champion in the high jump; and 5

WHEREAS, A diligent and capable individual, Mark Lorson is 6  
deserving of recognition for his exemplary accomplishments as a member 7  
of the Orrville High School boys track and field team. An exceptional 8  
athlete, he won first place in the high jump at this year's Division 9  
III State Meet with a personal best height of 6 feet, 9 inches, and 10  
his notable record of personal achievement stands as a hallmark for 11  
others; and 12

WHEREAS, Through his participation in track and field, Mark Lorson 13  
has learned important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, 14  
and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to 15  
him throughout his life. Through his outstanding efforts, he has 16  
inspired countless people to excel in various areas of endeavor, and 17  
he has set an example worthy of emulation; and 18

WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders of 19  
our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards 20  
of individual effort, athletic competition has become a valuable 21  
educational tool. With sports contributing to the development of 22  
countless youth, we are happy to congratulate such a fine athlete as 23  
Mark Lorson; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General 25  
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute to Mark 26  
Lorson on winning the 2026 Division III State High Jump Championship 27

and salute him as one of Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it 28  
further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 30  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Mark Lorson. 31