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Senator Brenner

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Ella Bouton as a 2026 Division IV State 1
Track and Field Champion. 2

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly 3
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Ella Bouton on winning the 2026 4
Division IV State Track and Field Championship in the shot put; and 5

WHEREAS, A senior at Fredericktown High School, Ella Bouton has 6
combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good 7
sportsmanship to establish herself as a truly exceptional young 8
athlete. With admirable dedication, she has worked diligently toward 9
attaining ultimate proficiency in track and field, and as a result, 10
she won first place in the shot put with a school-record toss of 46 11
feet at this year's Division IV State Meet; and 12

WHEREAS, Ella Bouton's accomplishments and leadership, both in and 13
out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine 14
reflection not only on her but also on her family, her teammates, her 15
coaches, her school, and her community. Her unwavering commitment to 16
excellence has earned her the respect and esteem of many, and she is 17
certainly worthy of high praise; and 18

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role 19
in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased 20
to pay tribute to Ella Bouton on an exemplary season. Indeed, the same 21
maturity and experience she has gained through her participation in 22
track and field will greatly aid her in meeting the challenges of the 23
future; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General 25
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Ella Bouton as 26
the 2026 Division IV State Track and Field Champion in the shot put 27

and offer best wishes for continued success; and be it further 28

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 29

authenticated copy of this Resolution to Ella Bouton. 30