

# As Adopted by the Senate

136th General Assembly  
Regular Session  
2025-2026

S. R. No. 432

Senator Gavarone

## A RESOLUTION

Honoring Firelands Health on its One Hundred Fiftieth 1  
Anniversary. 2

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly 3  
of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Firelands Health 4  
on the occasion of its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary; and 5

WHEREAS, Dedicated to caring for the health and well-being of the 6  
residents of Sandusky and the surrounding communities, Firelands 7  
Health has successfully incorporated concern and compassion with 8  
technology and professionalism to distinguish itself as an exemplary 9  
medical network. With the oldest hospital in the area, this fine 10  
institution has grown over the years through the mergers of Good 11  
Samaritan Hospital, Providence Hospital, Sandusky Memorial Hospital, 12  
Firelands Community Hospital, the Firelands Regional Medical Center, 13  
and The Bellevue Hospital. During the past century and a half, it has 14  
remained staunchly committed to meeting the health care needs of local 15  
citizens in the most effective manner possible; and 16

WHEREAS, Firelands Health's skillful and personalized delivery of 17  
vital health care services has earned it the confidence and respect of 18  
many, and the fine reputation it has gained is a credit to the 19  
dedication of its administrators, staff members, and employees, 20  
including its chief executive officer, Jeremy Normington-Slay. Indeed, 21  
the network has achieved a tremendous record of service to the area 22  
through its commitment to the highest standards of health care, and 23  
its tradition of excellence will continue long into the future; and 24

WHEREAS, On the celebration of its One Hundred Fiftieth 25  
Anniversary, Firelands Health has the unique opportunity to reaffirm 26  
its goals and to formulate new policies to meet the challenges of our 27  
complex and ever-changing world. The organization has served as a 28

shining example of responsible medical practices, and it has set the 29  
standard to which other health care providers in Ohio can aspire; 30  
therefore be it 31

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General 32  
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute to 33  
Firelands Health on its years of service and offer best wishes for the 34  
future; and be it further 35

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 36  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Firelands Health. 37