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Senator Blackshear

A R E S O L U T I O N

Honoring the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team on winning the 2026 Division I State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to salute the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team as the 2026 Division I State Champion; and

WHEREAS, Establishing a reputation for its skill and tenacity, the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team is an impressive group of athletes whose talent and teamwork are unmatched. At the 2026 Division I State Championship game, the squad seized the title, the first in school history, by outscoring St. Charles 3-1, and this victory will be celebrated for many years to come; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team rose to the occasion and proved themselves to be a dynamic force in high school sports. Truly, these outstanding athletes can be proud of the accomplishments that were hard-won and deserved throughout the season; and

WHEREAS, By remaining faithful to the highest standards of sportsmanship and teamwork, the members of the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team primed themselves under the guidance of Coach Neil Craft to secure this year's state crown. Indeed, the Firebirds have demonstrated remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and dedication in all of their endeavors; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, recognize the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team on its success and honor the athletes and coaches for their tremendous prowess; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Kettering Fairmont High School boys soccer team.