

As Introduced

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S. R. No. 91

Senator Schaffer

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Maddox Laymon as a 2025 Division II State
Wrestling Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 136th General Assembly
of Ohio are pleased to commend Maddox Laymon on winning the 2025
Division II State Championship in boys wrestling in the 120-pound
weight class; and

WHEREAS, A diligent and capable individual, Maddox Laymon is
deserving of recognition for his exemplary accomplishments as a
standout member of the Sheridan High School boys wrestling team. An
exceptional athlete, he defeated a reigning state champion from Bexley
with a pin in the third period to win first place in the 120-pound
weight class at this year's Division II State Tournament, becoming the
first freshman in Muskingum Valley League history not only to go to
the state championship but also to win it, and his noteworthy record
of personal achievement stands as a testament to his dedication; and

WHEREAS, Through his participation in wrestling, Maddox Laymon has
learned the important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work,
and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to
him throughout his life. Indeed, he has inspired countless people to
excel in various areas of endeavor, and his outstanding efforts serve
as an example worthy of emulation; and

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

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 136th General 26
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud Maddox Laymon 27
on his Division II State Wrestling Championship and extend best wishes 28
for continued success; and be it further 29

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