

As Adopted by the House

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H. R. No. 147

Representative Burkley

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Defiance High School baseball team as
the 2015 Division II State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Defiance High School baseball team on winning the 2015 Division II State Championship; and

WHEREAS, Known as a driven and spirited squad, the Defiance High School baseball team has developed into an efficient group of highly skilled athletes whose talent is equaled only by their commendable display of teamwork. The Bulldogs have striven to be the best in their sport, and consequently, they defeated the team from Poland Seminary High School by the score of 5-3 to win the 2015 Division II State Championship; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Defiance High School baseball team have demonstrated remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and dedication in all of their endeavors, and their athletic prowess is reflected in their outstanding success. Indeed, the members have established themselves as winners, both in and out of competition, and they are certainly deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, The Defiance High School baseball team has exemplified the qualities necessary for excellence in sports, including strength, stamina, agility, and perseverance. Through their participation in athletic competition, these fine individuals have learned lessons of hard work and good

sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to them throughout their lives; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate the Defiance High School baseball team for exemplary achievement and extend best wishes for the future; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Defiance High School baseball team.