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**Representatives Sheehy, Craig, Perales
Cosponsor: Representative Strahorn**

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Sydney Barret as the 2016 Ohio Military Kid of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Sydney Barret on being named the 2016 Ohio Military Kid of the Year; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Clay High School and a student at Cleveland State University, Sydney Barret is an exceptional individual, for she has demonstrated a commendable degree of determination in meeting life's challenges. Her father served twenty-two years in the U.S. Army before retiring in 2014, and during his three deployments, she continued to excel in school, maintaining a 3.5 grade point average while participating in cheerleading, track and field, the theater program, and other activities and helping out at home with her sisters. Indeed, she has displayed leadership ability, maturity, and a capacity for diligence that should be equal to even the most difficult tasks that lie ahead; and

WHEREAS, In many significant endeavors, Sydney Barret has exhibited a strong desire to fulfill her goals in the future, and the perseverance and forbearance she has developed throughout her life have earned her the respect and admiration of all who know her. Without a doubt, her maturity and initiative show her potential to become one of tomorrow's leaders, and her success has made many people extremely proud; and

WHEREAS, Sydney Barret has prevailed in the face of adversity, and her accomplishments are a justifiable source of

pride and an excellent reflection not only on her but also on her 26
family and her community. Through her remarkable efforts, she has 27
set a superb example for others to follow; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 29
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 30
this Resolution, applaud Sydney Barret for outstanding achievement 31
and salute her as a fine young Ohioan; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 33
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Sydney 34
Barret. 35