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Senator Eklund

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Reed Memorial Library on its One
Hundredth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Reed Memorial Library on the auspicious occasion of its One Hundredth Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a fitting tribute to the Reed Memorial Library, for throughout its history, this fine institution has attained a praiseworthy record of service to the area. Since its inception in 1915, the library has fostered education, culture, and individual growth and achievement by providing a variety of innovative and beneficial programs and services; and

WHEREAS, Public libraries play an important role in today's society, serving as receptacles of shared knowledge, information, and ideas. They provide a means of enjoyment, self-advancement, and intellectual development for all individuals, and as repositories for the best of our nation's intellectual endeavors, they are vital to the preservation of our country's heritage, principles, and ideals; and

WHEREAS, As a focal point for many local activities and as a valuable instrument for community improvement, the Reed Memorial

Library has earned the respect and appreciation of countless patrons and has set an example of service worthy of emulation. We are proud to note that it is through the efforts of agencies such as this that our state has maintained its reputation as a friendly, productive, and pleasant place in which to live and work; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the Reed Memorial Library on its One Hundredth Anniversary and extend best wishes for ongoing success; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Reed Memorial Library.