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Senator Tavares

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Germania Singing and Sport Society on its
Sesquicentennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Germania Singing 2
and Sport Society on the auspicious occasion of its One Hundred 3
Fiftieth Anniversary; and 4

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a 5
fitting tribute to the Germania Singing and Sport Society, for it 6
has attained a remarkable record of service to the Central Ohio 7
area. Founded in 1866 to welcome German immigrants and help them 8
adapt to their new land, Germania has striven to preserve and 9
promote German culture, and among its activities, it offers a 10
variety of opportunities for singing, dancing, and playing sports. 11
The accomplishments of the society are a justifiable source of 12
pride and an outstanding reflection not only on the organization 13
itself but also on its dedicated members, for these individuals 14
have certainly distinguished themselves as conscientious and hard- 15
working Ohioans; and 16

WHEREAS, Over the past century and a half, the Germania 17
Singing and Sport Society has enhanced the quality of life within 18
the surrounding area, and through its generous contributions, it 19
has earned the respect and gratitude of the many citizens it has 20
so capably served. We are certain that as this worthy organization 21
maintains its dedication to service and achievement, it will 22
continue in the tradition of excellence that has long been its 23
hallmark; and 24

WHEREAS, We are proud to note that it is through the 25
unceasing efforts of organizations such as the Germania Singing 26
and Sport Society that the State of Ohio continues to prosper and 27

remains a pleasant place in which to live and work. The 28
association is truly deserving of high praise; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st 30
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 31
Germania Singing and Sport Society on its One Hundred Fiftieth 32
Anniversary and extend best wishes for ongoing success; and be it 33
further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 35
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Germania Singing and 36
Sport Society. 37