

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 58

Senator LaRose

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Wooster High School speech and debate team as the 2014-2015 Ohio High School Speech League Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to the Wooster High School speech and debate team on winning the 2014-2015 Ohio High School Speech League Championship; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Wooster High School speech and debate team have worked tirelessly to develop their capabilities, and at this year's Ohio High School Speech League State Tournament, they won first place. Under the astute guidance of their coaches, Bill Franck, Holly Custer, Phil Klein, Dwaine Hemphill, and Andrew Wolf, they have amply demonstrated their ability to meet challenges with enthusiasm and confidence, and they are certainly deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, In preparing themselves for this important contest, the members of the Wooster High School speech and debate team have had the opportunity to develop and express their individual abilities and to acquire knowledge and information that will be of great benefit to them throughout their lives. Having worked diligently to sharpen their skills, they confronted competition with confidence and enthusiasm and distinguished themselves as worthy representatives of their school and community; and

WHEREAS, Through their decisive leadership, the members of the Wooster High School speech and debate team have distinguished themselves as conscientious and responsible students, and we are certain that they will continue to display the same unwavering dedication to excellence for which they have become known. They have exhibited a sincere desire to do their best in all of their endeavors so that they might fulfill their goals in the future, and this, coupled with their maturity and initiative, shows their potential to become some of tomorrow's leaders; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud the Wooster High School speech and debate team on its OHSSL Championship title 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 Wooster High School speech and debate team.