

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 213**

**Representative Faber**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Minster High School baseball team as the 2017  
Division IV State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the 2  
Minster High School baseball team on winning the 2017 Division IV 3  
State Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of 5  
the Minster High School baseball team have combined talent and 6  
competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship 7  
to establish themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With 8  
admirable dedication, the Wildcats have worked diligently toward 9  
attaining ultimate proficiency in their sport, and as a result, 10  
they defeated a tough Russia team by the score of 2-1 to win the 11  
2017 Division IV State Championship, their third such title in 12  
program history, and finished the season with a 25-7 record; and 13

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Wildcats are 14  
a justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on them, 15  
their families, their school, their community, and their head 16  
coach, Michael Wiss. The success of any athletic endeavor depends 17  
largely on the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and 18  
inspiration, and in leading their team to victory, Coach Wiss and 19  
his assistants have not only helped each player to develop his 20  
talents to the fullest, but they have also instilled in each a 21  
valuable sense of determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; 22  
and 23

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 24  
role in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed 25  
to pay tribute to these fine athletes and their outstanding 26  
coaches for a job well done. The maturity and experience the 27

players have gained through participation in baseball will greatly 28  
aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 30  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 31  
this Resolution, commend the Minster High School baseball team on 32  
its tremendous 2017 season and salute the players and coaches as 33  
some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 35  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 36  
Minster High School baseball team. 37