

As Adopted by the House

**132nd General Assembly
Regular Session
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H. R. No. 270

Representative Brenner

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Concord Township Fire Department on receiving
a 2016 Life Safety Achievement Award.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the 2
Concord Township Fire Department on being presented with a 2016 3
Life Safety Achievement Award by the National Association of State 4
Fire Marshals Fire Research and Education Foundation and the 5
Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Company; and 6

WHEREAS, The members of the Concord Township Fire Department 7
are deserving of admiration for their expertise and commitment, as 8
well as for the invaluable contributions they have made to area 9
safety, resulting in zero or reduced fire deaths from the prior 10
year. Their professional ethics, positive work attitude, and 11
cooperation with the public have gained them the appreciation and 12
esteem of the citizens they have so capably served, and we applaud 13
them on their exemplary efforts; and 14

WHEREAS, Under the leadership of Chief Todd Cooper, the 15
members of the Concord Township Fire Department have fulfilled 16
their myriad responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and 17
competence. Countless citizens in the community owe their safety, 18
and some their very lives, to the men and women who have displayed 19
outstanding courage and initiative in the performance of their 20
duties, as well as an unwavering dedication to excellence. 21
Clearly, they have given of their time, energy, and abilities far 22
beyond what was required or expected; and 23

WHEREAS, At a time when many people are content to take a 24
passive role in life, these fine individuals have chosen to risk 25
their own safety to ensure the well-being of others, and their 26
enthusiasm and devotion to duty have ensured that Concord Township 27

remains a friendly and pleasant place in which to live. We are 28
certain that as they maintain their dedication to service, the 29
members will continue in the tradition of excellence that has long 30
been the department's hallmark; therefore be it 31

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 32
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 33
this Resolution, commend the Concord Township Fire Department on 34
its national accolade and salute all those who contribute to its 35
success; and be it further 36

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 37
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 38
Concord Township Fire Department. 39