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Representative Hood

A RESOLUTION

Honoring General Curtis M. Scaparrotti as a 2018 recipient
of the Distinguished Military Leadership Award.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to 2
General Curtis M. Scaparrotti on receiving a 2018 Distinguished 3
Military Leadership Award from the Atlantic Council; and 4

WHEREAS, Curtis Scaparrotti is deserving of high praise, for 5
he has combined courage and dedication with tremendous strength 6
and resolve during his exceptional military career. After 7
graduating from the United States Military Academy at West Point 8
in 1978, he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Army, 9
and he advanced through the ranks to become a four-star General in 10
2013. Assigned to the United States European Command, he has been 11
instrumental in facilitating cooperation and developing common 12
approaches to global security challenges among members of the 13
North Atlantic Treaty Organization, and his efforts have been 14
truly noteworthy; and 15

WHEREAS, The heroic traditions of our armed forces are an 16
important part of our nation's heritage, and Curtis Scaparrotti 17
has striven to perpetuate this legacy. His remarkable record of 18
personal and professional success stands as a hallmark worthy of 19
emulation, and he has inspired countless individuals to excel in 20
numerous areas of endeavor; and 21

WHEREAS, As he reflects on his military tenure, Curtis 22
Scaparrotti has the satisfaction of knowing that he has made 23
valuable contributions to our state and nation. The appreciation 24
and esteem he has gained throughout his life are clearly evident, 25
and his accomplishments are a justifiable source of pride and an 26

outstanding reflection not only on him but also on his family and 27
his hometown of Logan; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 29
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 30
this Resolution, commend General Curtis M. Scaparrotti for 31
exemplary attainment and salute him as a fine Ohio native; and be 32
it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 34
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to General 35
Curtis M. Scaparrotti. 36