

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 564**

**Representative Pelanda**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Laela Colwell as the 2018 grand-prize winner of the Ohio Livestock Coalition's For Your InFARmation program.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend Laela Colwell on her tremendous success in the For Your InFARmation program; and

WHEREAS, A creative and talented third-grade student at North Union Elementary School, Laela Colwell has displayed exemplary initiative, enthusiasm, and perseverance in sharing her skills, and consequently, she won first place for her entry in this year's For Your InFARmation essay contest. Clearly, her unwavering commitment to excellence has earned her a reputation as a truly gifted young writer, and we applaud her on her tremendous work; and

WHEREAS, Laela Colwell has demonstrated great determination to skillfully pursue her objectives, and understandably, her leadership, maturity, and self-discipline have won her a host of admirers. She has striven to develop her special talents of expression, and her essay entry reflected intuition and a positive message about agriculture in the State of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, Laela Colwell's success in all her endeavors is an excellent reflection not only on her but also on her family, her teachers, her school, and her community. The initiative, devotion, and hard work she has routinely shown will certainly aid her in meeting future challenges, and we are positive that this is just the first of many accomplishments in her life; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 25  
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 26  
this Resolution, commend Laela Colwell for her superlative 27  
achievement and extend best wishes for the years to come; and be 28  
it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 30  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Laela 31  
Colwell. 32