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S. R. No. 264

Senator Kunze

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Upper Arlington Fire Division on being named the 2017 Ohio Emergency Medical Services Agency of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to the Upper Arlington Fire Division on receiving the 2017 Ohio Emergency Medical Services Agency of the Year Award from the Ohio Department of Public Safety Division of Emergency Medical Services; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Upper Arlington Fire Division are deserving of praise for their expertise and commitment, as well as for the invaluable contributions they have made to area safety through such one-of-a-kind initiatives as its Services to Age in Your Upper Arlington pilot program, for which the division has partnered with employees of National Church Residences to provide assistance and help link residents to services they may need. Their professional ethics, positive work attitude, and cooperation with the public have earned them the respect and esteem of the citizens they have so capably served, and we applaud them on their exemplary efforts; and

WHEREAS, Under the leadership of Chief Lyn Nofziger, the members of the Upper Arlington Fire Division have fulfilled their myriad responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and competence. Countless citizens in the community owe their safety, and some their very lives, to the firefighters and paramedics who have displayed outstanding courage and initiative in the performance of their duties, as well as an unwavering dedication to excellence. Clearly, they have given of their time, energy, and abilities far beyond what was required or expected; and

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| WHEREAS, At a time when many people are content to take a | 26 |
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| passive role in life, these fine individuals have worked | 27 |
| diligently to ensure the well-being of their fellow citizens, and | 28 |
| their enthusiasm and devotion to duty have ensured that Upper | 29 |
| Arlington remains a friendly and pleasant place in which to live. | 30 |
| We are certain that as they maintain their dedication to service, | 31 |
| these men and women will continue in the tradition of excellence | 32 |
| that has long been the division's hallmark; therefore be it | 33 |
| RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd | 34 |
| General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the | 35 |
| Upper Arlington Fire Division on being named the 2017 Ohio | 36 |
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| Emergency Medical Services Agency of the Year and extend best | 37 |
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