

**As Introduced**

**132nd General Assembly  
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**S. R. No. 425**

**Senator Jordan**



**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Heritage Middle School Future City team as  
the 2018 Ohio Region Future City Competition Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Heritage Middle 2  
School Future City team for winning the 2018 Ohio Region Future 3  
City Competition sponsored by the Ohio Department of Aging; and 4

WHEREAS, The members of the Heritage Middle School Future 5  
City team are, indeed, remarkable young academicians, successfully 6  
combining talent and competitive spirit with exceptional vision to 7  
establish themselves as truly exemplary students. With commendable 8  
dedication, they performed admirably against teams from across the 9  
state, and as a result, they won this year's Ohio Region Future 10  
City Competition and qualified for the national contest; and 11

WHEREAS, In preparing themselves for this important contest, 12  
the Heritage Middle School Future City team members, along with 13  
their advisors, Anne Bates and Erik McPeek, had the opportunity to 14  
identify challenges that would affect the senior population of the 15  
fictional City of Sophia Vitae and engineer innovative solutions 16  
to reflect a municipality that responds effectively to the 17  
community's growing needs. Working diligently to articulate their 18  
vision of an age-friendly city, they confronted the competition 19  
with confidence and enthusiasm and distinguished themselves as 20  
outstanding representatives of their school, community, and state; 21  
and 22

WHEREAS, The accomplishments of the Heritage Middle School 23  
Future City team are a justifiable source of pride, for they also 24  
took first place in the categories of Best Use of Recreation and 25  
Best Computer City Design. The maturity and experience the members 26

have gained through their participation in events such as the 27  
Future City Competition will greatly aid them in meeting the 28  
challenges of the future; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 30  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 31  
Heritage Middle School Future City team on its recent state title 32  
and applaud all associated with this excellent group; and be it 33  
further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 35  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Heritage Middle 36  
School Future City team. 37