

As Introduced

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Senators Kunze, Burke, Jordan

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team as a 2018 Division I State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team on winning a share of the 2018 Division I State Championship; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team are excellent young athletes, and they have established themselves as a truly exceptional squad. This season, Grant Cicci, Westin Fishel, Elek Kayuha, and Max Scott finished their event with a time of 1:23.36 to tie for the 2018 Division I State Championship. The unwavering commitment of the swimmers and coach has earned them the esteem of many, and they are certainly worthy of applause; and

WHEREAS, Coach Patrick Johnston has demonstrated remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and dedication in guiding the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team to victory, and his skill is reflected in the squad's outstanding accomplishment. Due largely to his tireless efforts, the Celtics have established themselves as winners, both in and out of athletic competition, and he has gained the respect and admiration of all who know him; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has become a valuable tool. Through their

participation in sports, the members of the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team have learned lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to them throughout their lives; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, celebrate the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team on its state championship and credit all those who contributed to the success of this fine squad; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Dublin Jerome High School boys 200-yard freestyle relay team.