

As Introduced

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Senators Kunze, Bacon, Tavares

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Karen Dennis as the 2018 Big Ten Men's Outdoor
Coach of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Karen Dennis, the 2
director of The Ohio State University Track and Field program, on 3
being named the 2018 Big Ten Men's Outdoor Coach of the Year; and 4

WHEREAS, Karen Dennis has demonstrated remarkable energy, 5
enthusiasm, and dedication in the performance of her duties. 6
During the 2018 season, the Buckeyes secured the Big Ten outdoor 7
and indoor titles, and the team's success is an excellent 8
reflection on her and her leadership. She is certainly deserving 9
of high praise; and 10

WHEREAS, Karen Dennis has not only encouraged each runner to 11
develop his talents to the fullest, but she has also instilled in 12
each a valuable sense of determination, perseverance, camaraderie, 13
and school spirit. Due largely to her tireless efforts, the 14
Buckeyes have emerged as winners, both in and out of athletic 15
competition, and she has earned the genuine respect and admiration 16
of many; and 17

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 18
role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely 19
pleased to pay tribute to Karen Dennis and her fine runners for a 20
job well-done. The maturity and experience that the team members 21
have gained through their participation in sports will greatly aid 22
them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it 23

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 24
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend 25

Karen Dennis as the 2018 Big Ten Men's Outdoor Coach of the Year	26
and extend best wishes for continued success; and be it further	27
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	28
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Karen Dennis.	29