

**As Adopted by the Senate**

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**S. R. No. 689**

**Senator Bacon**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls track and field team on winning the 2018 Division I State Championship

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls track and field team on securing the 2018 Division I State Championship; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the 2018 season, the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls track and field team has proven to be a talented and superbly conditioned squad, and it has decisively earned this year's Division I State title with an impressive 51 points. Without exception, the Lions had prepared conscientiously in pursuit of the championship, devoting countless hours to training and practice in order to ensure peak conditioning; and

WHEREAS, Under the astute guidance of Coach Roger Whittaker, the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls track and field team has gained the respect of fans and opponents alike for the spirited and highly motivated performance of its members. Despite sometimes grueling pressure, the Lions have consistently maintained their composure and morale, exhibiting skill, speed, stamina, and agility in every challenging encounter; and

WHEREAS, By weathering a rigorous schedule and prevailing over numerous adversaries, the members of the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls track and field team have learned much about dedication, self-discipline, leadership, and perseverance. Their first-place finish reflects their strong commitment to the sport, and their indomitable spirit has made their families, friends, and

coach extremely proud; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 26  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, celebrate 27  
the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls track and field team on its 28  
brilliant season and wish its members continued success in all of 29  
their future endeavors; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Gahanna Lincoln High 32  
School girls track and field team. 33