

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 727**

**Senator Gardner**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Maggie Hunt as a 2018 Special Olympics USA  
Champion

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Maggie Hunt on 2  
winning first place in the 4x100-meter relay and 400-meter run at 3  
the 2018 Special Olympics USA Games; and 4

WHEREAS, Maggie Hunt's outstanding ability and spirited 5  
drive, as well as her quickness and tenacity, have distinguished 6  
her as a superior athlete. During the 2018 season, her skill and 7  
motivation have gained her the admiration and respect of all those 8  
who have witnessed her in action, and her first place finish in 9  
the 400x1-meter relay and 400-meter run, as well as her third 10  
place finish in the 100-meter dash, at this year's national 11  
contest are testaments to her talent; and 12

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual 13  
accomplishment more than running. Standouts such as Maggie Hunt 14  
exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence in any sport, 15  
including discipline, agility, conditioning, and focus. Throughout 16  
long hours of practice and competition, she has consistently 17  
demonstrated the talent and motivation that are the hallmarks of a 18  
true champion; and 19

WHEREAS, Athletic competition has become a valuable 20  
educational, healthy lifestyle, and social tool. Through her 21  
participation in sports, Maggie Hunt has learned lessons of 22  
perseverance, hard work, and fair and honest competition that will 23  
undoubtedly benefit her throughout her life; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 25

General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,	26
congratulate Maggie Hunt on her exemplary performance in national	27
competition and look to her future with great optimism; and be it	28
further	29
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Maggie Hunt.	31