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**H. R. No. 210**

**Representative Hood**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Village of Amanda on its Bicentennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize the Village of Amanda on the jubilant occasion of its Bicentennial, celebrated August 3, 2019; and

WHEREAS, This is, indeed, an auspicious milestone, and celebration is certainly in order. Since its inception two hundred years ago, the Village of Amanda has experienced dramatic growth and change, and yet, commendably, even as its residents have exuberantly embraced the promise of a bright future, they have never relinquished their appreciation for the worthiest virtues of the past. Without sacrificing their sense of tradition in the name of progress, the people of Amanda have managed to nurture a fresh perspective and a positive outlook that endear this distinctive place to all who know it well; and

WHEREAS, Two centuries after it was founded, the Village of Amanda still radiates vitality, optimism, and a charm all its own. Clearly, it is a place of many engaging qualities, and its schools, businesses, and civic organizations both embody and thrive upon the values of which our flag is an emblem. A vigorous commitment to public service and an earnest devotion to lofty ideals have long been second nature to many of Amanda's residents, and vigilance, industriousness, and generosity have come to typify their collective character; and

WHEREAS, Every state depends upon such vibrant, durable communities as Amanda for its own survival and stability. Although it has known adversity and tribulation, it also has been favored with its share of blessings. In the years to come, the village is

sure to remain on its admirable course and to continue to 28  
transform challenges into opportunities; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 30  
Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 31  
this Resolution, offer our congratulations to the Village of 32  
Amanda as it commemorates its Bicentennial and extend our best 33  
wishes for its perennial good fortune; and be it further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 35  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 36  
Village of Amanda. 37