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Representative Perales

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Officer Brian Rolfes on receiving the U.S. Medal
of Valor.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Officer 2
Brian Rolfes on being presented with the Medal of Valor by 3
President Donald Trump; and 4

WHEREAS, Brian Rolfes is, indeed, deserving of high praise, 5
for he has combined civic concern and commitment with selfless 6
initiative to become a dynamic leader in the field of law 7
enforcement. A member of the Dayton Police Department since 2016, 8
he was on patrol in the Oregon District on August 4, 2019, and he 9
responded ably to a shooter moving quickly down the sidewalk 10
toward the door of Ned Peppers Bar. His quick actions to stop the 11
individual saved the lives of many; and 12

WHEREAS, Fulfilling his myriad duties with the utmost 13
efficiency and competence, Brian Rolfes has given willingly of his 14
time, energy, and abilities far beyond what was required or 15
expected, and he is certainly a hard-working Ohioan. This 16
achievement is a justifiable source of pride and an excellent 17
reflection not only on him but also on his family, his 18
supervisors, his department, and the entire Dayton community, and 19
we applaud his exemplary efforts; and 20

WHEREAS, At a time when many people are content to take a 21
passive role in life, Brian Rolfes has chosen a vocation through 22
which he has often risked his own safety to ensure the well-being 23
of his fellow citizens, and his enthusiasm and devotion to duty 24
have gained him the esteem of his peers and of the community he 25
has so capably served; therefore be it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 27
Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 28
this Resolution, commend Officer Brian Rolfes for outstanding 29
accomplishment and salute him as one of Ohio's finest law 30
enforcement officers; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 32
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Officer 33
Brian Rolfes. 34