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**H. R. No. 364**

**Representative Wiggam**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Sterling Fire District on its One Hundredth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Sterling Fire District on the Centennial of its founding; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a fitting tribute to the Sterling Fire District, for over the past one hundred years, this fine agency has attained a praiseworthy record of service to local residents and businesses. Founded as the Sterling Fire Department by S.A. Slemmons in 1920 and renamed to its current moniker in 1986, the fire company provides coverage to the Milton Township area, and the department's achievements are a justifiable source of pride and a fine reflection not only on the organization itself but also on its chief, Josh Glessner, on his predecessors, on its dedicated members, and on the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, Demonstrating a sincere concern for the well-being of the area, the members of the Sterling Fire District, both past and present, have given back to the municipality far more than they have gleaned, and their selfless endeavors stand as the hallmark of responsible citizenship. They can rest assured that they have set an example of humanitarian service worthy of emulation; and

WHEREAS, Countless citizens in the community owe their safety, and some their very lives, to the members of the Sterling Fire District, who have displayed outstanding courage and initiative in the performance of their duties, as well as an unwavering dedication to excellence on the job. Their noteworthy

accomplishments demonstrate the potential of individuals to have a 27  
positive effect on the quality of life in our society; therefore 28  
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, congratulate the Sterling Fire District on the 32  
auspicious occasion of its One Hundredth Anniversary and extend 33  
best wishes for the future; 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  
Sterling Fire District. 37