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## **Representative Weinstein**

## **A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Paige McCormick on winning the 2019 Division I State Championship in the 500-yard freestyle event.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to honor Paige McCormick, a junior at Brecksville-Hudson High School, as a 2019 Division I State Swimming Champion; and

WHEREAS, Paige McCormick's outstanding ability and spirited drive, as well as her quickness and tenacity, have distinguished her as a superior athlete, and as a result, she placed first in the 500-yard freestyle event with a time of 4:48.9 at this year's Division I State Swimming and Diving Meet. In addition, she placed fourth in the 200-yard freestyle event and helped the 400-yard freestyle relay team place third, and she has gained the respect and admiration of all those who have witnessed her in action; and

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual accomplishment more than swimming. Athletes such as Paige McCormick exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence in any sport, including discipline, agility, conditioning, and focus. Throughout long hours of practice and competition, she has consistently demonstrated the talent and motivation that are the hallmarks of a true champion; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual effort, athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. Through her participation in swimming, Paige McCormick has learned lessons of perseverance, hard work, and fair and honest competition that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to her throughout her lifetime;

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therefore be it	27
RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of	28
Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting	g 29
this Resolution, congratulate Paige McCormick on her state title	30
and salute her as a fine Ohioan; and be it further	31
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives	32
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Paige	33
McCormick.	34