

As Introduced

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Senator Fedor

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Rogers High School girls basketball team on
winning the 2019 Division II State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Rogers High School 2
girls basketball team as the 2019 Division II State Champion; and 3

WHEREAS, The members of the Rogers High School girls 4
basketball team have combined talent and competitive spirit with 5
the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish themselves 6
as a truly exceptional squad. With admirable dedication, the Lady 7
Rams have worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency 8
in their sport, and as a result, they won the Division II State 9
Championship title; and 10

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Rogers High 11
School girls basketball team are a justifiable source of pride and 12
an excellent reflection on them, their families, their school, 13
their community, and their coach, Lamar Smith. The success of any 14
athletic endeavor depends largely on the ability of the coaches to 15
provide both guidance and inspiration, and in leading their team 16
to victory, Coach Smith and his assistants have not only helped 17
each player to develop her talents to the fullest, but they have 18
also instilled in each a valuable sense of determination, 19
perseverance, and camaraderie; and 20

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 21
role in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed 22
to pay tribute to the Rogers High School girls basketball team 23
members and their outstanding coaches for a job well done. The 24
maturity and experience the players have gained through 25
participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the 26

challenges of the future; therefore be it 27

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 28
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 29
congratulate the Rogers High School girls basketball team on its 30
Division II State Championship and look to the program's future 31
with optimism; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Rogers High School 34
girls basketball team. 35