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Senator Obhof

**Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Brenner, Burke, Coley, Craig, Dolan, Eklund,
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Kunze, Lehner, Maharath, Manning, McColley, O'Brien, Peterson, Roegner,
Rulli, Schaffer, Schuring, Sykes, Terhar, Thomas, Williams, Wilson, Yuko**

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Joe Uecker for his outstanding service as a
member of the Ohio Senate.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General 1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Joe Uecker for his two 2
terms of distinguished service as a member of the Ohio Senate; and 3

WHEREAS, Joe Uecker is, indeed, deserving of high praise for 4
his years of dedicated service to the 14th Senate District. An 5
able leader, he has served as chairman of the Senate Standing 6
Committee on State and Local Government, chairman and vice 7
chairman of the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review, the 8
Broadband and Technology Caucus, and the Ohio Legislative 9
Sportsmen’s Caucus, and a member of the Ohio Aerospace and 10
Aviation Technology Committee, the Senate committees on 11
Agriculture, Criminal Justice, Energy and Natural Resources, 12
Public Utilities, and Medicaid, the Standing Committee on 13
Transportation, Commerce, and Labor, and the Finance Subcommittee 14
on Corrections; and 15

WHEREAS, Joe Uecker is a truly remarkable individual, 16
combining civic concern and commitment with selfless initiative to 17
become a dynamic leader in Adams, Brown, Clermont, Lawrence, and 18
Scioto counties and the State of Ohio. He has brought to the Ohio 19
Senate a wealth of experience gained as a four-term member of the 20
Ohio House of Representatives as well as a certified public 21

manager, a police officer for fifteen years, an administrator for 22
the Clermont County Engineer's Office, and a trustee for Miami 23
Township, and he has always been sincere and energetic in his 24
approach to his work. While answering the call of public service, 25
he has remained a devoted father of four, a doting grandfather to 26
seven grandchildren, and a loving husband to his wife, Patti. By 27
his decisive leadership and unwavering dedication to achievement, 28
he has certainly distinguished himself as a conscientious and 29
responsible Ohioan; and 30

WHEREAS, The enthusiasm and expertise Joe Uecker has shown in 31
all of his endeavors have earned him not only the esteem of all 32
those with whom he has worked but also the gratitude of the 33
citizens he has so capably served. As he reflects on his career as 34
an Ohio State Senator, he has the satisfaction of knowing that he 35
has provided a vital service to his district and to the state and 36
has established a record of personal and professional achievement 37
that will stand as a hallmark for others to emulate; therefore be 38
it 39

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 40
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Joe 41
Uecker as an exemplary public servant and extend best wishes for 42
happiness and fulfillment in the years to come; and be it further 43

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 44
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Joe Uecker. 45