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A R E S O L U T I O N

Honoring Ellie Andrews on winning the 2019 Division I
State Championship in the 200-yard individual medley.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General   1
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Ellie Andrews, a   2
sophomore at Dublin Coffman High School, as a 2019 Division I   3
State Swimming Champion; and   4

WHEREAS, Ellie Andrews' outstanding ability and spirited   5
drive, as well as her quickness and tenacity, have distinguished 6
her as a superior athlete. As a result, she placed first in the 7
200-yard individual medley with a time of 1:59.73 at this year's 8
Division I State Swimming and Diving Meet, and she has gained the 9
respect and admiration of all those who have witnessed her in   10
action; and   11

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual   12
accomplishment more than swimming. Athletes such as Ellie Andrews 13
exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence in any sport,   14
including discipline, agility, conditioning, and focus. Throughout 15
long hours of practice and competition, she has consistently   16
demonstrated the talent and motivation that are the hallmarks of a 17
true champion; and   18

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the   19
future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self- 20
reliance and the rewards of individual effort, athletic   21
competition has become a valuable educational tool. Through her 22
participation in swimming, Ellie Andrews has accumulated a wealth 23
of experience that will serve her well in her future pursuits;   24
therefore be it   25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd   26
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute   27
to Ellie Andrews on her state title and salute her as a fine   28
Ohioan; and be it further   29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly   30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Ellie Andrews.   31