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Representative Sykes

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Summit Metro Parks on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 134th 1
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Summit Metro 2
Parks on its One Hundredth Anniversary; and 3

WHEREAS, Summit Metro Parks is deserving of high praise, for it 4
has provided area citizens with places to relax and enjoy a variety of 5
activities in natural and peaceful settings. Established in 1921 as 6
the second park district in Ohio, it has grown to include sixteen 7
parks, several conservation areas, and over one hundred fifty miles of 8
trails on more than fourteen thousand acres. Its One Hundredth 9
Anniversary is a justifiable source of pride and an outstanding 10
reflection not only on the organization itself but also on its hard- 11
working staff and volunteers and on the community; and 12

WHEREAS, For the past century, Summit Metro Parks has served as 13
Summit County's "backyard" by protecting the area's natural resources, 14
celebrating its cultural heritage, connecting residents to nature, and 15
honoring community support. The agency has consistently provided area 16
citizens with places where they can enjoy a variety of sports and 17
leisure activities, and its outstanding record of excellence is 18
deserving of acknowledgement; and 19

WHEREAS, The staff and volunteers of Summit Metro Parks have 20
displayed commendable civic concern and insight through their efforts 21
to make our world a better place in which to live. Always mindful of 22
their mission, their noteworthy achievements show the potential of a 23
small group of individuals to have a positive effect on our natural 24
habitat. We are proud to note that it is through the diligent efforts 25
of conscientious individuals such as these that the State of Ohio 26
continues to grow and prosper and remains a pleasant place in which to 27

live and work; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 29
the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 30
congratulate Summit Metro Parks on the occasion of its One Hundredth 31
Anniversary and extend best wishes for ongoing success; and be it 32
further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 34
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Summit Metro Parks. 35