

**As Offered**

**134th General Assembly  
Regular Session  
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**H. R. No. 439**

**Representatives Skindell, Patton**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the St. Edward High School football team  
as the 2022 Division I State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 134th 1  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the St. Edward 2  
High School football team on securing the 2022 Division I State 3  
Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of Coach Tom Lombardo and 5  
his assistants, the members of the St. Edward High School football 6  
team have gained the respect of fans and opponents alike for their 7  
spirited and highly motivated performance. Throughout the season, the 8  
players have worked diligently to improve their skills on the 9  
gridiron, and as a result, the Eagles accomplished their goals by 10  
bringing home the 2022 Division I State Championship crown, their 11  
sixth such title in school history; and 12

WHEREAS, The Eagles have developed into a remarkably efficient 13  
group of athletes whose talents are equaled only by their exemplary 14  
display of teamwork and sportsmanship. Indeed, they have epitomized 15  
the speed, agility, and stamina that befit authentic champions, and 16  
they are a credit not only to their families and their school but also 17  
to the superb coaching of their mentor, Tom Lombardo; and 18

WHEREAS, The road to victory and a championship title is a 19  
difficult one, requiring ability, endurance, teamwork, and a positive 20  
attitude on the part of students and coaches alike. The members of the 21  
St. Edward High School football team have exemplified all of the 22  
characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of 23  
competition, including courage, discipline, integrity, and good 24  
sportsmanship, and their efforts have earned them the admiration of 25  
all those who have witnessed these outstanding athletes in action; 26

therefore be it 27

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 28  
the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 29  
congratulate the St. Edward High School football team on winning the 30  
2022 Division I State Championship and commend all those associated 31  
with this exceptional squad; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 33  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the St. Edward High 34  
School football team. 35