

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 135**

**Senators Huffman, M., Antonio**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Jim Tobin on his retirement from the Catholic  
Conference of Ohio.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly 1  
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Jim Tobin on his retirement from 2  
the Catholic Conference of Ohio, July 1, 2021; and 3

WHEREAS, Jim Tobin is a remarkable individual, for he has combined 4  
civic concern and commitment with selfless initiative to become a 5  
strong advocate for the Catholic Conference of Ohio. He has dedicated 6  
thirty-four years to representing Catholic viewpoints before the Ohio 7  
General Assembly and various state agencies, and as the associate 8  
director for the department of social concerns, he has established a 9  
record of excellence that will strengthen the voice of Catholic 10  
Ohioans for generations to come; and 11

WHEREAS, Throughout his career, Jim Tobin has clearly shown the 12  
potential of each person to have a positive effect on the quality of 13  
life in our society. Indeed, he has always been sincere and energetic 14  
in his faith, and he has distinguished himself as a conscientious and 15  
responsible Ohioan who is truly deserving of high praise; and 16

WHEREAS, We are proud to note that the unsurpassed efforts and 17  
deep devotion that are reflected in hard-working people such as Jim 18  
Tobin have been instrumental to the Catholic Church continuing its 19  
dynamic roles in the daily lives of all Christians. He has advocated 20  
for and assisted his fellow citizens with compassion and enthusiasm, 21  
and he has made significant contributions to the religious community. 22  
We applaud him on his efforts; therefore be it 23

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General 24  
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Jim Tobin on 25

the occasion of his retirement and extend best wishes for health and 26  
happiness in the years ahead; and be it further 27

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 28  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Jim Tobin. 29