

As Introduced

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Senator Maharath

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the New Albany High School baseball team as the
2021 Division I State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly 1
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the New Albany High School 2
baseball team on winning the 2021 Division I State Championship; and 3

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of the 4
New Albany High School baseball team have combined talent and 5
competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to 6
establish themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With admirable 7
dedication, the Eagles secured this year's Division I State 8
Championship in a 6-5 victory over Elder High School, and their 9
triumphant season reflects an outstanding collective effort; and 10

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Eagles are a 11
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on them, their 12
families, their school, their community, and their coach, Dave 13
Starling. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on the 14
ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and inspiration, and 15
in leading their team to victory, Coach Starling and his assistants 16
have not only helped their players to develop their talents to the 17
fullest, but they have also instilled in them a valuable sense of 18
determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; and 19

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role 20
in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed to pay 21
tribute to these fine athletes and their outstanding coaches for a job 22
well done. The maturity and experience the players have gained through 23
participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the 24
challenges of the future; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General 26
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the New Albany 27
High School baseball team on its tremendous 2021 season and salute the 28
players and coaches as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it 29
further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the New Albany High School 32
baseball team. 33