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**Senators Kunze, Craig**



**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Ohio Council of Retail Merchants on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Ohio Council of Retail Merchants on its One Hundredth Anniversary, celebrated November 29, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Since its inception in 1922, the Ohio Council of Retail Merchants has striven to ensure a positive business environment for our state’s retail, wholesale, and distribution industries while protecting and supporting their interests. The accomplishments of the council are a justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only on the organization itself but also on its dedicated members and on Ohio as a whole; and

WHEREAS, It is not surprising that the Ohio Council of Retail Merchants has achieved widespread acclaim, for over the years, it has enhanced the quality of life within our great state. This fine association has demonstrated exemplary professionalism while maintaining its high ideals, and through its tremendous contributions, it has gained the appreciation and esteem of countless businesses; and

WHEREAS, The anniversary of the Ohio Council of Retail Merchants offers a unique opportunity to reflect on the success of the past while looking with optimism to the future. We are proud to note that it is through the unceasing efforts of organizations such as this that Ohio has earned a reputation as a state that is responsive to the needs of its growing economy and the entrepreneurs who are responsible for its prosperity; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud the Ohio

Council of Retail Merchants on its One Hundredth Anniversary and offer 26  
best wishes for the years to come; and be it further 27

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 28  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Ohio Council of Retail 29  
Merchants. 30