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Representative Klopfenstein

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Kellen Schlagbaum

on winning a 2023 Division III State Track and Field Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 135th 1 General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend Kellen Schlagbaum as 3 the 2023 Ohio High School Athletic Association Division III State Track and Field Champion in the 300-meter hurdles; and

WHEREAS, A senior at Ottoville High School, Kellen Schlagbaum has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish himself as a truly exceptional young athlete. With admirable dedication, he has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in his sport, and as a result, he won the 300-meter hurdles event at the OHSAA Division III State Track and Field Championship with a time of 38.59 seconds; and

WHEREAS, Kellen Schlagbaum's accomplishments and leadership, both 12 in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine reflection not only on him but also on his family, his teammates, his coaches, his school, and his community. His unwavering commitment to excellence has earned him the esteem of many, and he is certainly worthy of high praise; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role 18 in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed to pay tribute to Kellen Schlagbaum on an exemplary season. Indeed, the same maturity and experience he has gained through his participation in track and field will greatly aid him in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 24 the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 25 H. R. No. 175
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recognize Kellen Schlagbaum on his 2023 OHSAA Division III State Track	26
and Field Championship and offer best wishes for the years to come;	27
and be it further	28
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit	29
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Kellen Schlagbaum.	30