

**As Adopted by the House**

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**H. R. No. 213**

**Representative Grim**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the St. John's Jesuit High School boys track and field team  
as the 2023 Division I State Champions.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 135th 1  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the St. John's 2  
Jesuit High School boys track and field team on winning the 2023 3  
Division I State Championship; and 4

WHEREAS, Known as a driven and spirited squad, the St. John's 5  
Jesuit High School boys track and field team has developed into an 6  
efficient group of highly skilled athletes whose talent is equaled 7  
only by their commendable display of teamwork, and as a result, the 8  
Titans earned 35 points to win its first Division I State Championship 9  
in program history. Their achievements are a justifiable source of 10  
pride not only for them but also for their families, their coach, 11  
Steve Spenthoff, their school, and their community; and 12

WHEREAS, By weathering a rigorous schedule and prevailing over a 13  
host of adversaries, the members of the St. John's Jesuit High School 14  
boys track and field team have learned much about dedication, self- 15  
discipline, leadership, and perseverance. Their record of attainment 16  
is a measure of their stalwart commitment to their sport, and their 17  
indomitable spirit is to be applauded; and 18

WHEREAS, The St. John's Jesuit High School boys track and field 19  
team has exemplified the qualities necessary for excellence in sports, 20  
including strength, stamina, agility, and perseverance. Through their 21  
participation in athletic competition, these fine athletes have 22  
learned lessons and gained experiences that will undoubtedly be of 23  
great benefit to them throughout their lives; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 25

the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 26  
extend special recognition to the St. John's Jesuit High School boys 27  
track and field team on its tremendous 2023 season and salute the 28  
athletes and coach as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it 29  
further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 31  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the St. John's Jesuit 32  
High School boys track and field team. 33