

As Adopted by the House

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H. R. No. 294

Representative Russo

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Pierre Agostini
on receiving the 2023 Nobel Prize in Physics.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 135th
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to celebrate Pierre Agostini as a
recipient of the 2023 Nobel Prize in Physics; and

WHEREAS, In being accorded the 2023 Nobel Prize in Physics for
his work, Pierre Agostini has received the highest honor possible in
his field and achieved a milestone few ever do. His endeavors with
Ferenc Krausz and Ann L'Huillier to develop a new means to measure the
rapid processes in which electrons move and change energy will allow
scientists to discover more secrets contained within our universe and
increase our understanding of our world and ourselves; and

WHEREAS, A professor emeritus at The Ohio State University,
Pierre Agostini has proven himself to be a boon not only for the
school but for our society as a whole. One of the brightest minds to
call Ohio home, he is truly a figure worthy of emulation, and we
eagerly anticipate what he accomplishes further and what his discovery
means for the future; and

WHEREAS, Throughout history, man has relied on important
discoveries to push us forward into bright, new days, and the work of
Pierre Agostini and his peers is a continuation of that lineage.
Although it is uncertain what tomorrow holds, we are able to face its
challenges, unfold its mysteries, and seek its answers due in part to
the efforts of talented physicists such as he, and we are proud to
call him an Ohioan; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of
the 135th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,

commend Pierre Agostini on his fantastic distinction and salute him as 26
an exemplary individual; and be it further 27

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 28
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Pierre Agostini. 29