

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 119**

**Senator Johnson**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Private First Class Max Walls as the 2023 Ohio  
Army National Guard Soldier of the Year.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly 1  
of Ohio are pleased to recognize Private First Class Max Walls on 2  
receiving the 2023 Ohio Army National Guard Soldier of the Year Award; 3  
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WHEREAS, This prestigious distinction is a fitting tribute to Max 5  
Walls in acknowledgement of the stalwart skills and indomitable spirit 6  
he so amply displayed at this year's Ohio Army National Guard Best 7  
Warrior Competition. A member of the 324th Military Police Company, 8  
437th Military Police Battalion, 73rd Troop Command, he has exhibited 9  
exemplary patriotism and responsible citizenship, and he is a worthy 10  
of attaining the 2023 Ohio Army National Guard Soldier of the Year 11  
Award; and 12

WHEREAS, Max Walls has demonstrated an unwavering commitment to 13  
military values by embodying the warrior ethos and being proudly 14  
dedicated to the noble principles of democracy and love of country. 15  
Indeed, his record of attainment will long stand as a hallmark worthy 16  
of emulation; and 17

WHEREAS, The Ohio Army National Guard has remained strong thanks 18  
to the efforts of individuals like Max Walls, who have accepted and 19  
overcome extreme challenges and exemplified a commendable sense of 20  
duty. He can be proud that he has helped preserve our country's 21  
excellence in the armed forces and will serve as a representative of 22  
the State of Ohio at the Region IV Army National Guard Best Warrior 23  
Competition; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 25

Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud Private First	26
Class Max Walls on his military success and salute him as a fine	27
Ohioan; and be it further	28
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	29
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Private First Class Max	30
Walls.	31