

As Adopted by the Senate

**135th General Assembly
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S. R. No. 360

Senator Roegner

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Western Reserve Academy boys basketball team
on securing the 2024 National Prep Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Western Reserve Academy boys
basketball team on winning the 2024 National Prep Championship; and

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of young athletes, the members of the
Western Reserve Academy boys basketball team have combined talent and
spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish
themselves as truly exceptional competitors. With admirable
dedication, the Pioneers have worked diligently toward attaining
ultimate proficiency in basketball, and as a result, they defeated
four tough teams to win this year's National Prep Championship and
finished the season with an impressive 32-5 record; and

WHEREAS, The Pioneers' achievements and leadership are a
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on the
players, their families, their school, their community, and their
coach, Matt Garvey. In leading his team to victory, Coach Garvey has
not only helped the athletes to develop their talents to the fullest
but also instilled in them a valuable sense of determination,
perseverance, and camaraderie; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role
in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased
to pay tribute to these exemplary athletes and their outstanding coach
for a job well done. The maturity and experience the team members have
gained through their participation in sports will greatly aid them in
meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

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

Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the Western 26
Reserve Academy boys basketball team on its tremendous season and 27
salute the members and coach as some of Ohio's finest citizens; and be 28
it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Western Reserve Academy 31
boys basketball team. 32