As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 376

Senator Manning

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Lorain County on its Bicentennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly 1
of Ohio are pleased to recognize Lorain County on the jubilant 2
occasion of its Two Hundredth Anniversary; and 3

WHEREAS, This is, indeed, an auspicious milestone, and celebration 4 is certainly in order. Since its inception two hundred years ago, 5 Lorain County has experienced dramatic growth and change, and yet, 6 commendably, even as its residents have exuberantly embraced the 7 promise of a bright future, they have never relinquished their 8 appreciation for the worthiest virtues of the past. Without 9 sacrificing their sense of tradition in the name of progress, the 10 people of the county have managed to nurture a fresh perspective and a 11 positive outlook that endear this distinctive place to all who know it 12 well; and 13

WHEREAS, America is only as strong as her individual communities, 14 which are unique and which make a significant contribution to the 15 culture of our state and nation, and two centuries after it was 16 founded, Lorain County still radiates vitality, optimism, and a charm 17 all its own. Clearly, it is a place of many engaging qualities, and 18 its schools, businesses, and civic organizations both embody and 19 thrive upon the values of which our flag is an emblem; and 20

WHEREAS, The Two Hundredth Anniversary of Lorain County offers its 21 citizens the opportunity to share their memories and experiences and 22 to reflect on the benefits of life in their close-knit community, for 23 they have built on the best traditions of the past to ensure a future 24 filled with hope and promise. A vigorous commitment to public service 25 and an earnest devotion to lofty ideals have long been second nature 26 to most of the area's residents, and vigilance, industriousness, and 27

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generosity have come to typify their collective character; therefore 28 be it 29 RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 30 Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, extend our 31 congratulations to Lorain County on its Bicentennial and offer our 32 best wishes for its perennial good fortune; and be it further 33 RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34 authenticated copy of this Resolution to Lorain County. 35

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