

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 496

Senator Manning

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Avon High School football team on winning the
2024 Division II State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly
of Ohio are pleased to recognize the Avon High School football team as
the 2024 Division II State Champion; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Avon High School football team are
exemplary athletes, and they have shown themselves to be truly
exceptional competitors. To culminate their successful season, the
Eagles outscored a tough Anderson squad 20-13 to win the 2024 Division
II State Championship, and the unwavering commitment of the players
and coaches has earned them the esteem of many. They are certainly
deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, Coach Mike Elder has demonstrated remarkable energy,
enthusiasm, and dedication in guiding the Avon High School football
team to victory, and his skill is reflected in the squad's outstanding
accomplishments. Due largely to his tireless efforts, the members have
distinguished themselves on the gridiron, and he has received respect
and admiration from all who know him; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future
leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and
the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has
become a valuable tool. By taking part in sports, the members of the
Avon High School football team have gained discipline and perseverance
that will help them in all aspects of their lives; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute to the Avon
High School football team as the 2024 Division II State Champion and

honor all those who contributed to the success of this fine squad; and 26
be it further 27

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 28
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Avon High School football 29
team. 30