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Representatives Boyce, Gonzales

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Columbus Academy boys 4x400-meter relay team
on winning the 2015 OHSAA Division III State
Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special 2
recognition to the Columbus Academy boys 4x400-meter relay team as 3
the 2015 Ohio High School Athletic Association Division III State 4
Champion; and 5

WHEREAS, The Columbus Academy boys 4x400-meter relay team 6
is, indeed, to be heartily commended, for it has decisively earned 7
first place at this year's Ohio High School Athletic Association 8
Division III track and field championships. Without exception, 9
members Tim Leathery, Kevin Boyce, Jerome Buckner, and Logan Baker 10
prepared conscientiously in pursuit of the crown, devoting 11
countless hours to training and practice in order to ensure peak 12
conditioning; and 13

WHEREAS, The members of the Columbus Academy boys 4x400- 14
meter relay team have epitomized the power, poise, and precision 15
that befit authentic champions. Time and again, these fine young 16
athletes have risen to the occasion, amply demonstrating their 17
unflagging determination, and their impressive maturity and 18
finesse have earned them widespread respect, even among their 19
staunchest rivals; and 20

WHEREAS, By prevailing over numerous adversaries, the 21
members of the Columbus Academy boys 4x400-meter relay team have 22
learned much about dedication, self-discipline, leadership, and 23
perseverance. Their first-place finish reflects their strong 24
commitment to the sport, and their indomitable spirit has made 25

their families, friends, and coaches extremely proud; therefore be 26
it 27

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 28
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 29
this Resolution, congratulate the Columbus Academy boys 4x400- 30
meter relay team on its success and extend best wishes for the 31
future; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 33
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the 34
Columbus Academy boys 4x400-meter relay team. 35