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**H. R. No. 311**

**Representative Arndt**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring R.C. Waters Elementary School on being selected  
as a 2015 National Title I Distinguished School.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to applaud R.C. Waters Elementary School on being named a 2015 National Title I Distinguished School by the National Title I Association; and

WHEREAS, This prestigious honor is, indeed, a fitting tribute to R.C. Waters Elementary School, for it was one of fifty-seven schools in the nation to be designated as a National Title I Distinguished School. The National Title I Association identifies and recognizes schools for excellence in student performance and significantly closing achievement gaps, and selection for this accolade is an achievement of which everyone at R.C. Waters can be proud; and

WHEREAS, Schools provide young people with much more than basic educational skills. Through involvement in the day-to-day events at school as well as in school-sponsored extracurricular activities, students learn the important lessons of cooperation, self-discipline, perseverance, and diligence that will benefit them throughout their lives. At R.C. Waters Elementary School, students are offered a vast array of educational opportunities, and we commend the faculty, administration, and staff whose hard work and dedication have enabled this institution to attain its exemplary status; and

WHEREAS, The leaders and staff of R.C. Waters Elementary School have been responsive to the needs and interests of young people, preparing them to assume meaningful rolls in our complex society. These fine professionals have earned the respect and gratitude of the community, and they are truly deserving of

admiration; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 29  
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 30  
this Resolution, congratulate R.C. Waters Elementary School as a 31  
National Title I Distinguished School and, in so doing, pay 32  
tribute to an outstanding educational facility; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 34  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to R.C. 35  
Waters Elementary School. 36