

As Adopted by the House

**132nd General Assembly
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H. R. No. 543

Representatives Gonzales, Duffey, Roegner

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Team Ohio as a 2018 USJJF and USA-TKJ National
Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize Team Ohio 2
as the overall team champion at the 2018 United States Ju-Jitsu 3
Federation and USA Traditional Kodokan Judo National 4
Championships; and 5

WHEREAS, The members of Team Ohio have displayed exceptional 6
athletic ability, remarkable confidence, and tremendous 7
leadership. Comprised of martial artists from Super System BJJ and 8
Ares Combat Sports Academy, the squad had an outstanding 9
performance at this year's United States Ju-Jitsu Federation and 10
USA Traditional Kodokan Judo National Championships, earning 11
overall team honors; and 12

WHEREAS, Throughout intense training and preparation, Team 13
Ohio has consistently demonstrated the talent, integrity, and 14
motivation that are the hallmarks of a champion squad. Led by its 15
skilled mentors, coaches Dave Graf, Gary Hensley, and Brian Walsh, 16
the team has distinguished itself as one of the top groups in the 17
country, and all those who have been involved with its success are 18
to be commended for their exemplary efforts; and 19

WHEREAS, With athletic competition being a mainstay of 20
American society, we applaud the members of Team Ohio on their 21
prowess in an activity that promotes qualities essential for 22
excellence in all of life's pursuits. Participation in sports has 23
enabled them to learn much about dedication, self-discipline, and 24
perseverance, and it is no surprise that they have won so many 25
admirers; therefore be it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 27
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 28
this Resolution, salute Team Ohio on its impressive accomplishment 29
and wish the members and coaches ongoing success; and be it 30
further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 32
transmit a duly authenticated copies of this Resolution to Super 33
System BJJ and Ares Combat Sports Academy. 34