

**As Introduced**

**132nd General Assembly  
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**S. R. No. 218**

**Senator Balderson**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Village of McConnelssville as it celebrates  
its Two Hundredth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Village of 2  
McConnelssville on the auspicious occasion of its Bicentennial, 3  
celebrated July 1, 2017; and 4

WHEREAS, Founded in 1817, the Village of McConnelssville 5  
remains just as proud of its meaningful history and significant 6  
achievements today as it has been throughout the past two hundred 7  
years. Recognition of its Bicentennial is a fitting tribute to the 8  
village, for over the past two centuries, it has become known for 9  
its residents' cooperation, integrity, and willingness to work 10  
hard, all of which are exemplary qualities that are still 11  
manifested by its citizens today; and 12

WHEREAS, Throughout its existence, the Village of 13  
McConnelssville has enjoyed the benefits of a generous and civic- 14  
minded population, and those who currently make it their home take 15  
great pride in their community and its rich heritage. Their 16  
ongoing efforts have certainly had a profound impact in making the 17  
area a pleasant and friendly place in which to live and work, and 18  
we applaud them for their commitment to responsible and dedicated 19  
citizenship; and 20

WHEREAS, America is only as strong as her individual 21  
communities, which are unique and which make significant 22  
contributions to the culture of our state and nation. The Two 23  
Hundredth Anniversary of the Village of McConnelssville offers its 24  
citizens the opportunity to share their memories and experiences 25  
and to reflect on the benefits of life in their close-knit 26  
community, for they have built on the best traditions of the past 27

to ensure a future filled with hope and promise; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 29  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 30  
Village of McConnelssville on its Two Hundredth Anniversary and 31  
extend best wishes for peace and prosperity in the years to come; 32  
and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Village of 35  
McConnelssville. 36