

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Citizens' Speedway
Committee.

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1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Citizens'
2 Speedway Committee.

3 *Whereas, The Citizens' Speedway Committee was founded*
4 *in 1920 as the Citizens of Indianapolis Lap Prize Committee*
5 *through the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, one of the*
6 *first cooperative efforts to promote the city;*

7 *Whereas, In the Committee's early years, volunteers*
8 *promoted the Indianapolis 500-Mile Sweepstakes Race, now*
9 *known as the Indianapolis 500, by handing out maps showing*
10 *routes to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, operating a 24/7*
11 *phone line to answer questions about the race, and providing*
12 *out-of-town guests additional assistance while visiting the city;*

13 *Whereas, Throughout its history, the Citizens' Speedway*
14 *Committee has been comprised of individual community leaders*
15 *in business and manufacturing who work to express their*
16 *appreciation of the Indianapolis 500, "The Greatest Spectacle*
17 *in Racing";*

18 *Whereas, The Citizens' Speedway Committee's Lap Prize*
19 *Sponsorship program has extended to the Brickyard 400 and*
20 *the Global Medical Response (GMR) Grand Prix, with a*
21 *portion of proceeds benefitting the Indianapolis Motor*
22 *Speedway Museum;*

23 *Whereas, The Lap Prize Sponsorship program is solidified*
24 *as part of the unique lore of the month of May at the*
25 *Indianapolis Motor Speedway and provides individuals,*



1 *businesses, and organizations the opportunity to show civic*
2 *pride by being a part of the Indianapolis 500 and the GMR*
3 *Grand Prix;*

4 *Whereas, Through the sponsorship program, drivers in*
5 *both races receive bonuses for leading sponsored laps that help*
6 *support the community; and*

7 *Whereas, In 2020, the Citizens' Speedway Committee*
8 *celebrated a century of fostering the true spirit of Indianapolis*
9 *through its promotion and involvement in "The Greatest*
10 *Spectacle in Racing": Therefore,*

11 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*
12 *of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives*
13 *concurring:*

14 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors the
15 Citizens' Speedway Committee and their efforts in helping
16 make Indianapolis the racing capital of the world.

17 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
18 to transmit copies of this Resolution to the members of the
19 Citizens' Speedway Committee.

