

REPRESENTATIVE DUFFEY

*Honoring the Thomas Worthington High School field hockey team
on winning the 2011 Division I State Championship.*

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to the Thomas Worthington High School field hockey team as the 2011 Division I State Champion; and

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of Coach Terri Simonetti-Frost and her assistants, the Thomas Worthington High School field hockey team has proven to be a talented and superbly conditioned squad and has gained the respect of fans and opponents alike for the spirited and highly motivated play of its members. Throughout the season, each player worked diligently to improve her skills on the field, and as a result, the Cardinals accomplished their goal, bringing home this year's Division I State Championship, their third such title in school history; and

WHEREAS, Known as a driven and determined team, the Cardinals have developed into a remarkably efficient group of athletes whose abilities are equaled only by their exemplary display of teamwork and sportsmanship. They are a credit not only to their families and their school but also to the superb coaching of their mentor, Terri Simonetti-Frost; and

WHEREAS, The road to victory and a championship title is a difficult one, requiring agility, endurance, cooperation, and a positive attitude on the part of players and coaches alike. The members of the Thomas Worthington High School field hockey team have exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of athletic competition, including courage, discipline, and integrity, and their efforts have earned them the admiration of all those who have witnessed these outstanding athletes in action; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate the Thomas Worthington High School field hockey team on its 2011 Division I State Championship and extend best wishes for the future; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Thomas Worthington High School field hockey team.