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## A RESOLUTION

Honoring Major General Deborah A. Ashenhurst on her years of service to the Ohio Army National Guard.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Major General Deborah A. Ashenhurst on her years of service as adjutant general of the Joint Force Headquarters of the Ohio Army National Guard; and

WHEREAS, Deborah Ashenhurst is, indeed, deserving of recognition, for she has combined courage and dedication with tremendous strength and resolve during her loyal service to our country. Enlisting with the Ohio Army National Guard in 1978, she served in various posts with such units as the 54th Support Center, the United States Property and Fiscal Office for Ohio, the 237th Personnel Services Battalion, and the 73rd Troop Command Brigade before rising to the rank of adjutant general of the Joint Force Headquarters in 2011; and WHEREAS, Throughout her career, Deborah Ashenhurst has clearly shown the potential of each person to have a positive effect on the quality of life in our society. Always sincere and energetic in her approach to her work, she has distinguished herself as a conscientious and responsible Ohioan; and

WHEREAS, Deborah Ashenhurst's willingness to fight and even to die for our country's democratic ideals is a measure of her faith in our nation, and the legacy of courage and commitment that she established throughout her tenure will remain forever in the hearts and minds of all those with whom she has served. She has exhibited exemplary patriotism, responsible citizenship, and exceptional bravery, and she is truly deserving of high praise; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Major General Deborah A. Ashenhurst on her years of service and extend best wishes as she assumes her new position as a special assistant at the National Guard Bureau in Washington, D.C.; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Major General Deborah A. Ashenhurst.