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**H. R. No. 487**

**Representative Hood**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Annie Karshner on winning a USATF National Youth  
Outdoor Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Annie Karshner on placing first in the discus and third in the shot put in the 11-12-year-old division of the 2016 USA Track and Field National Youth Outdoor Championship; and

WHEREAS, A seventh-grade student at McDowell Middle School, Annie Karshner is deserving of recognition for her exemplary accomplishments in her sports. An exceptional athlete, she secured first place in the discus with a throw of 85 feet, 11 inches and third place in the shot put with a throw of 36 feet, 7.75 inches in the 11-12-year-old division at this year's USA Track and Field National Youth Outdoor Championship, and her noteworthy record of personal achievement stands as a hallmark for others to emulate; and

WHEREAS, Through her participation in sports, Annie Karshner has learned important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to her throughout her life. Through her outstanding efforts, she has inspired countless individuals to excel in various areas of endeavor, and she has set an example worthy of the highest praise; and

WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual effort, athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. With athletics playing such an important part in the development of our young people, we are

extremely pleased to pay tribute to such a fine athlete as Annie 28  
Karshner; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 30  
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 31  
this Resolution, applaud Annie Karshner on her tremendous track 32  
and field season and extend best wishes for continued success; and 33  
be it further 34

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 35  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Annie 36  
Karshner. 37