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S. R. No. 113

Senator Lehner

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Hayden Edgell as a State Powerlifting Champion in
the 195-pound weight class.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General 1
Assembly of Ohio take great pride in honoring Hayden Edgell, a 2
student at Butler High School, on winning the State Championship 3
in the 195-pound weight class at the 2019 Bill McClain Ohio High 4
School Powerlifting meet; and 5

WHEREAS, Hayden Edgell's outstanding ability and spirited 6
drive, as well as her tenacity, have distinguished her as a 7
superior athlete, and as a result, she won her third consecutive 8
state title with lifts of 470-185-370 for a total of 1,025 points 9
at this year's Bill McClain Ohio High School Powerlifting meet. 10
Under the guidance of her coach, Larry Pacifico, she has gained 11
the admiration and respect of all those who have witnessed her in 12
action; and 13

WHEREAS, Few sports embody the spirit of individual 14
accomplishment more than powerlifting. Lifters such as Hayden 15
Edgell exemplify the qualities necessary for excellence in any 16
sport, including discipline, strength, conditioning, and focus. 17
Indeed, throughout long hours of practice and competition, she has 18
consistently demonstrated the talent and motivation that are the 19
hallmarks of a true champion; and 20

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the 21
future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self- 22
reliance and the rewards of individual effort, high school 23
athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. 24
Through her participation in powerlifting, Hayden Edgell has 25
learned lessons of perseverance, hard work, and fair and honest 26

competition that will undoubtedly benefit her throughout her life; 27
therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 29
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 30
congratulate Hayden Edgell on her outstanding performance in state 31
competition and look to her future with great optimism; and be it 32
further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Hayden Edgell. 35