

As Adopted by the Senate

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S. R. No. 141

Senator Hottinger

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Lane Graham as a 2021 Division II State Track and Field Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Lane Graham on winning first place in the shot put and discus at the 2021 Division II State Track and Field Championship meet; and

WHEREAS, These accomplishments are truly noteworthy, for Lane Graham has clearly demonstrated his talent and perseverance, as well as his mental and physical fortitude. At this year's Division II State Track and Field Championship meet, he placed first in the shot put with a throw of 59 feet, 9.25 inches and the discus with a throw of 180 feet, 5 inches, and in doing so, he has exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of competition, including courage, determination, and an innate sense of the principles of good sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, In displaying such exceptional prowess as a member of the West Holmes High School boys track and field team, Lane Graham has earned the appreciation of his fellow athletes, the devotion of countless fans, and the respect of even his most determined rivals. Participation in athletics has enabled him to learn much about dedication and self-discipline, and we take this opportunity to acknowledge his remarkable record of achievement; and

WHEREAS, Shot put and discus are both events that require tremendous talent, strength, and natural ability, and Lane Graham is to be commended for his victories in these demanding activities. In attaining his athletic goals, he has consistently exhibited the skill and integrity that are the hallmarks of a true champion; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General 27
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Lane 28
Graham on an outstanding season and offer best wishes for the future; 29
and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Lane Graham. 32