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S. R. No. 148

Senator Schaffer

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Pickerington High School North boys 4x400meter relay team on winning the 2021 Division I State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly 1 of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to the Pickerington High School 2 North boys 4x400-meter relay team as the 2021 Division I State 3 Champion; and 4

WHEREAS, The members of the Pickerington High School North boys54x400-meter relay team have demonstrated remarkable energy,6enthusiasm, and dedication at this year's Division I State7Championship. Together, Zemen Siyoum, Derrick Amapps, Daylon Duncan,8and Steven McElroy ran an impressive race, finishing with a time of93:15.56, and the Panthers' unwavering commitment has earned them this10prestigious distinction; and11

WHEREAS, Emerging as winners both in and out of competition, the 12 young men on the Pickerington High School North boys 4x400-meter relay 13 team are certainly deserving of high praise. Their outstanding success 14 is due largely to the guidance they received from their coach, Dave 15 Spring, and their tireless efforts have gained them the respect and 16 admiration of all who know them; and 17

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future18leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and19the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has20become a valuable tool. The athletes that comprise the Pickerington21High School North boys 4x400-meter relay team have learned the22important lessons of discipline, perseverance, hard work, and good23sportsmanship that will be greatly beneficial for their continued24

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success; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General 26 Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 27 Pickerington High School North boys 4x400-meter relay team for 28 exemplary achievement and salute this fine squad for its victory at 29 this year's state championship; and be it further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly31authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Pickerington High School32North boys 4x400-meter relay team.33

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