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Senator McColley

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Kellen Schlagbaum as the 2023 Division III State
Champion in the 300-meter hurdles.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly
of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Kellen Schlagbaum
on winning first place in the 300-meter hurdles at the 2023 Division
III State Track and Field Championship; and

WHEREAS, This accomplishment is truly noteworthy, for Kellen
Schlagbaum has clearly demonstrated his talent and perseverance, as
well as his mental and physical fortitude as an athlete. At this
year's Division III State Meet, he secured first place in the 300-
meter hurdles with a time of 38.6, and he has exemplified all of the
characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of the
sports world, including courage, determination, and an innate sense of
the principles of good sportsmanship; and

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

WHEREAS, Hurdles is an event that requires exceptional stamina and
natural ability, and Kellen Schlagbaum is to be commended for his
commitment to this demanding activity. 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 135th General

Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Kellen	26
Schlagbaum on his tremendous performance at the 2023 Division III	27
State Track and Field Championships and extend best wishes for	28
continued success; and be it further	29
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Kellen Schlagbaum.	31