## SENATOR WAGONER

## Honoring Meredith Wagner on winning the 2009 Division I State Girls Cross Country Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Meredith Wagner as the 2009 Division I State Girls Cross Country Champion; and

WHEREAS, A member of the Sylvania Northview High School girls cross country team, Meredith Wagner is deserving of recognition for her exemplary accomplishments in her sport. An exceptional athlete, she posted a time of 18:03.90 to win the Division I State Championship, and her noteworthy record of achievement stands as a hallmark for others to emulate; and

WHEREAS, Through her participation in cross country, Meredith Wagner 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

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 Meredith Wagner; therefore be it

**RESOLVED,** That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Meredith Wagner on her personal success and salute her as one of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Meredith Wagner.

I, Vincent L. Keeran, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution No. 173, adopted by the Ohio Senate, March 9, 2010.

Vincent L. Keeran Clerk of the Senate

Senator Bill Harris President of the Senate

Senator Mark Wagoner Senatorial District No. 2