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Senator Fedor

A RESOLUTION

Recognizing Veterans Day, November 11, 2021.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 134th General Assembly 1 of Ohio are pleased to recognize November 11, 2021, as Veterans Day; and 3 WHEREAS, Armistice Day was established when representatives of the 4 Allies and Germany signed a peace agreement in Compiègne, France, to 5 formally end World War I on November 11, 1918. That date became a 6 national holiday in the United States in 1938, and in 1954, President 7 Dwight D. Eisenhower officially changed the name of the holiday to Veterans Day. During World War I, approximately 263,000 Ohioans served our nation and 6,500 made the ultimate sacrifice, and the members of the Ohio Senate honor the memory of those brave Ohioans who fought in 11 World War I, for they were a key to the Allied victory; and 12 WHEREAS, Since its establishment, Veterans Day has become a time 13 to honor not only those who participated in World War I but all those 14 who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces, during both war and 15 peacetime. On this solemn occasion, the citizens of Ohio have the 16 opportunity to reflect on the sacrifices of the past and to express 17 their profound gratitude to all veterans; and 18 WHEREAS, It is imperative that we openly acknowledge our debt to 19 those who bore our country's standard with courage, dignity, and 20 decency through their military service. Veterans come from all ranks 21 and strata of society, for they are our children, our parents, our 22 grandparents, our friends, our neighbors, and our co-workers, and it 23 is by their service and patriotism that the light of our nation 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 134th General

continues to endure for future generations; therefore be it

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Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, recognize November 11,	27
2021, as Veterans Day and encourage all citizens to remember the	28
Ohioans who have served our country and its military forces; and be it	29
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RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit duly authenticated	31
copies of this Resolution to the news media of Ohio.	32