

**As Adopted by the Senate**

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**S. R. No. 364**

**Senator Obhof**

**Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Brenner, Burke, Coley, Craig, Dolan, Eklund,  
Fedor, Gavarone, Hackett, Hoagland, Hottinger, Huffman, M., Huffman, S.,  
Kunze, Lehner, Maharath, Manning, McColley, O'Brien, Peterson, Roegner,  
Rulli, Schaffer, Schuring, Sykes, Thomas, Williams, Wilson, Yuko**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Senator Louis Terhar for outstanding service to  
the Ohio Senate.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to 2  
Senator Louis Terhar for his loyal service to the Ohio Senate; and 3

WHEREAS, Throughout his distinguished tenure with the Ohio 4  
Senate, Lou Terhar has capably drawn from his unique past 5  
experiences as a U.S. Naval Commander, Vietnam veteran, President 6  
and Chief Executive Officer of Integris Metals, Indian Motorcycle 7  
Company and The David J. Joseph Company, as well as his service as 8  
a State Representative and significant involvement in his local 9  
community to better serve his constituents. Representing the 8th 10  
District, he has ably served as chairman of the Ways and Means 11  
Committee and the Finance - Primary and Secondary Education 12  
Subcommittee, vice chairman of the Education Committee, and a 13  
member of the Finance and Insurance and Financial Institutions 14  
committees, and he has demonstrated an unwavering dedication to 15  
performing his duties with the utmost efficiency and competence. 16  
With commendable determination and resolve, he has brought his 17  
talents and experience to bear on the ever-changing needs and 18  
issues of the Ohio General Assembly; and 19

WHEREAS, Lou Terhar has displayed a genuine commitment to 20  
improving the quality of life in our society, and he appreciates 21

the important role that family plays in being a responsible public 22  
servant. Indeed, he serves his district with the same support, 23  
concern, and dedication that he has shown to his wife, Debe, their 24  
four children and six grandchildren. His love for Ohio and his 25  
sincere desire to serve its people are examples of how an 26  
individual's contributions help shape our state and nation; and 27

WHEREAS, Election to public office is one of the highest 28  
honors that the people in a democracy can bestow upon a fellow 29  
citizen. Throughout his service as a member of the Ohio Senate, 30  
Lou Terhar has consistently maintained a high degree of 31  
achievement and has displayed a level of integrity and commitment 32  
that has earned him the respect and admiration of colleagues on 33  
both sides of the political aisle. Whether engaged in floor debate 34  
or in committee deliberations, he has brought a full measure of 35  
enthusiasm, intelligence, and public spirit to his duties and has 36  
effectively served his constituents and the Great State of Ohio; 37  
therefore be it 38

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 39  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud 40  
Senator Louis Terhar on his exemplary service to the Ohio Senate 41  
and extend best wishes for happiness and fulfillment in the years 42  
to come; and be it further 43

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 44  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Senator Louis Terhar. 45