

As Adopted by the Senate

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Senator Hughes

A RESOLUTION

Recognizing the 2016 U.S. Senior Open.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend recognition to the U.S. Senior Open on its 2016 event; and

WHEREAS, Sponsored by the United States Golf Association, the U.S. Senior Open is deserving of high praise for its contributions to the sport of golf. First held in 1981, the tournament is open to professional and amateur players age 50 and above, and since its inception, it has become the most prestigious senior golf event in the world. This year's open is being conducted August 8-14, 2016, at the Scioto Country Club, the second time the venue has hosted this preeminent competition, and this opportunity is all the more special due to its happening during the club's centennial year; and

WHEREAS, Being selected to host the 2016 U.S. Senior Open is a justifiable source of pride for the Scioto Country Club as well as for the City of Upper Arlington and the State of Ohio. This fine event will not only garner positive attention for the city but will also provide a significant economic impact for the Central Ohio area, and it is truly worthy of acknowledgement; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, the U.S. Senior Open has enhanced the quality of athletic competition and sportsmanship around the world and has earned the gratitude and respect of many. We are certain that as this exceptional endeavor maintains its dedication to quality, it will continue to grow and prosper and will follow in the tradition of excellence that has become its hallmark; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st

General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the	28
U.S. Senior Open on its 2016 event and extend best wishes for	29
outstanding success; and be it further	30
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit duly	31
authenticated copies of this Resolution to the United States Golf	32
Association and to the news media of Ohio.	33