

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 582**

**Senator Bacon**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Dr. Kathy A. Krendl on her retirement as  
president of Otterbein University.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to salute Dr. Kathy A. Krendl on her 2  
retirement as president of Otterbein University; and 3

WHEREAS, Kathy Krendl commenced her tenure as president of 4  
Otterbein University in 2009, and she has displayed a genuine 5  
dedication to attaining her myriad goals in a skillful and 6  
professional manner. She has brought to the office a wealth of 7  
knowledge and leadership skill, and under her astute guidance, 8  
Otterbein has launched new academic programs, increased 9  
fundraising, diversified its revenue sources, built relationships 10  
with business and community leaders, partnered with women's 11  
organizations, collaborated with non-profit and other higher 12  
education institutions, and maintained affordable access to 13  
education; and 14

WHEREAS, Throughout her career, Kathy Krendl has clearly 15  
shown the potential of each person to have a positive effect on 16  
the quality of life in our society. Over the years, she has set an 17  
example of excellence for others to emulate, and she has gained 18  
the appreciation and admiration of many; and 19

WHEREAS, We are proud to note that it is through the 20  
unsurpassed efforts and deep commitment of diligent people like 21  
Kathy Krendl that the State of Ohio continues to grow and prosper. 22  
Never content to take a passive role in life, she has striven to 23  
advocate for higher education to the best of her ability, and we 24  
applaud her on her fine work; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd	26
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, honor Dr.	27
Kathy A. Krendl on her retirement and pay tribute to her	28
outstanding record of service; and be it further	29
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Dr. Kathy A. Krendl.	31