

REPRESENTATIVES GROSSMAN - HARWOOD

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Ohio:*

*WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Cody Lucas on receiving the 2009 Ohio Wendy's High School Heisman Award; and*

*WHEREAS, An athlete at Grove City Christian High School, Cody Lucas is deserving of this tribute which reflects the hard work that he has invested in his studies, as well as the time management skills he has utilized to balance academics and extensive extracurricular activities. He has maintained a 3.75 grade point average while participating in football, basketball, and baseball and serving as a basketball official in the Upward Basketball Youth League, a safety guard at the water slide at the YMCA, a mentor in the Little Eagles, and a volunteer for Habitat for Humanity; and*

*WHEREAS, By achieving such exceptional prowess both in the classroom and on the athletic field, Cody Lucas has gained the admiration of his classmates, the devotion of countless fans, and the respect of his teachers and coaches. In striving to be the best in academic, athletic, and community service endeavors, he has learned much about dedication, self-discipline, and leadership, and understandably, he has made his family, friends, and community very proud; and*

*WHEREAS, Known throughout the area as an exceptional young man, Cody Lucas has earned the esteem and appreciation of all those who have come to know him. His superlative work is the hallmark of a true competitor and demonstrates the potential of individuals to excel; therefore be it*

*RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, congratulate Cody Lucas on his recent accolade and salute him as one of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further*

*RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Cody Lucas.*