

Senator Carey

RESOLUTION

Honoring the Oak Hill High School boys basketball 1
team on winning the 2009 OHSAA Division IV State 2
Championship. 3

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General 4
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Oak Hill High 5
School boys basketball team as the 2009 Division IV State 6
Champion; and 7

WHEREAS, Each member of the Oak Hill High School boys 8
basketball team is an excellent young athlete, and Coach Norm 9
Persin has demonstrated remarkable energy, enthusiasm, and 10
dedication in guiding this squad to victory. This season, the Oaks 11
bested the team from Kalida High School by a score of 48-43 to win 12
this year's Division IV State Championship title, and the 13
unwavering commitment of the players and their coach has earned 14
them this honor; and 15

WHEREAS, The members of the Oak Hill High School boys 16
basketball team have established themselves as truly exceptional 17
athletes, and they have emerged as winners both on and off the 18
court. Norm Persin's skill as a coach is reflected in his squad's 19
success, and he has earned the respect and admiration of all who 20
know him; and 21

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the 22
future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of 23
self-reliance and the rewards of individual and group effort, 24
athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. The 25

maturity and experience the Oaks have gained through their 26
participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the 27
challenges of the future; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th 29
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the 30
Oak Hill High School boys basketball team on its exemplary season 31
and salute the players and coach as some of Ohio's finest 32
citizens; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Oak Hill High School 35
boys basketball team. 36