

**Senator Bacon**

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**RESOLUTION**

Honoring Hannah Wexner and Andrea Ballinger as the  
2012 Division II State Champions in girls doubles  
tennis.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 129th General  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Hannah Wexner and  
Andrea Ballinger on winning the 2012 Division II State  
Championship in girls doubles tennis; and

WHEREAS, Students at Columbus Academy, Hannah Wexner and  
Andrea Ballinger have combined talent and competitive spirit with  
the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish themselves  
as truly exceptional athletes. With admirable dedication, they  
have worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in  
tennis, and as a result, they defeated a tough Gates Mills pair by  
the score of 6-2, 6-3 to win this year's Division II State Doubles  
Championship title; and

WHEREAS, The accomplishments and leadership of Hannah Wexner  
and Andrea Ballinger, both in and out of competition, are a  
justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only  
on them but also on their family, their teammates, their coach,  
Megan Martzolf, their school, and their community. Their  
unwavering commitment to excellence has earned them this  
well-deserved distinction, and they are certainly worthy of high  
praise; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important  
role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely

pleased to pay tribute to Hannah Wexner and Andrea Ballinger on an exemplary season. Indeed, the same maturity and experience they have gained through their participation in tennis will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Hannah Wexner and Andrea Ballinger as 2012 Division II State Champions and salute them as two of Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit duly authenticated copies of this Resolution to Hannah Wexner and Andrea Ballinger.

I, Vincent L. Keeran, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution No. 372, adopted by the Ohio Senate, November 27, 2012.

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Vincent L. Keeran  
Clerk of the Senate

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Senator Tom Niehaus  
President of the Senate

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Senator Kevin Bacon  
Senatorial District No. 3