

Senator Niehaus

RESOLUTION

Honoring Senator Mark Wagoner for outstanding service
to the Ohio Senate.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Senator Mark Wagoner for his loyal service to the Ohio Senate; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his distinguished tenure as a member of the Ohio Senate, Mark Wagoner has demonstrated an unwavering dedication to performing his duties and fulfilling his responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and competence. A former member of the Ohio House of Representatives, he was appointed to represent the 2nd Senatorial District in 2008, and he has ably served as Majority Whip in 2009-2010, chair of the Judiciary Committee, vice-chair of the Finance and Financial Institutions Committee, a member of the Rules and Reference Committee and the Controlling Board, as well as chair of the National Statuary Collection Study Committee, co-chair of the Joint Select Committee of the Impact of the Changing Automobile Industry on Ohio, and a member of the War of 1812 Bicentennial and Ohio Constitutional Modernization commissions. With commendable determination and resolve, he has brought his talents and experience to bear on the ever-changing needs and issues of the Ohio General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Mark Wagoner has given willingly of his time and energy far beyond what was required or expected and has displayed a genuine commitment to improving the quality of life in our

society, not only for his family, wife Merideth, son Mickey, and daughter Taylor, but also for all its residents. His love for Ohio and his sincere desire to serve its people to the best of his ability have shown him to be a truly concerned and responsible public servant, and we are proud to note that it is through the efforts of conscientious individuals such as he that our state and nation continue to grow and prosper; and

WHEREAS, Election to public office is one of the highest honors that the people in a democracy can bestow upon a fellow citizen. Throughout his service as a member of the Ohio Senate and the Ohio House of Representatives, Mark Wagoner has consistently maintained a high degree of achievement and has displayed a level of integrity and commitment that has earned him the respect and admiration of colleagues on both sides of the political aisle. Whether engaged in floor debate or in committee deliberations, he has brought a full measure of enthusiasm, intelligence, and public spirit to his duties and has effectively served his constituents and the Great State of Ohio; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud Senator Mark Wagoner on his exemplary service to the Ohio Senate and extend best wishes for happiness and fulfillment in the years to come; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Senator Mark Wagoner. I, Vincent L. Keeran, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution No. 384, adopted by the Ohio Senate, December 11, 2012.

Vincent L. Keeran
Clerk of the Senate

Senator Tom Niehaus
President of the Senate