

As Adopted

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H. R. No. 196

Representative Gonzales

RESOLUTION

Honoring the Columbus Academy boys track and field team as the 2013 Division III State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Columbus Academy boys track and field team on winning the 2013 Division III State Championship; and

WHEREAS, The talented Columbus Academy boys track and field team is to be heartily applauded, for it has decisively earned this year's Division III State title with a score of 49 points, and the victory of the Vikings reflects an extraordinary collective effort by a gifted group of athletes. The unwavering commitment of the members and their coaches has earned them this prestigious honor, and they are certainly deserving of recognition; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Columbus Academy boys track and field team have epitomized the power, poise, and precision that befit true champions. Despite sometimes grueling pressure, they have consistently maintained their composure and morale, exhibiting strength, speed, stamina, and agility in every challenging encounter. Time and again, they have risen to the occasion, amply demonstrating their unflagging determination, and their impressive maturity and finesse have earned them widespread respect, even among their most formidable rivals; and

WHEREAS, By weathering a rigorous schedule and prevailing

over a host of adversaries, the members of the Columbus Academy boys track and field team have learned much about dedication, self-discipline, leadership, and perseverance. Their first-place finish is a measure of their stalwart commitment to the sport, and their indomitable spirit has made their families, friends, and coaches extremely proud. This triumph attests to the staunch resolve of these young men and signifies the acquisition of valuable experience that is sure to benefit them in later life; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, salute the Columbus Academy boys track and field team on winning the 2013 Division III State Championship and congratulate the members and coaches on their exemplary achievement; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Columbus Academy boys track and field team.