

As Adopted

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H. R. No. 70

Representatives Retherford, Beck, Derickson, Conditt

RESOLUTION

Honoring the Miami University Hamilton women's basketball team as the 2013 Ohio Regional Campus State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Miami University Hamilton women's basketball team on winning the 2013 Ohio Regional Campus State Championship; and

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of athletes, the members of the Miami University Hamilton women's basketball team have combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish themselves as a truly exceptional squad. With admirable dedication, the Harriers have worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in basketball, and as a result, they defeated a tough Miami University Middletown team by the score of 92-63 to win this year's Ohio Regional Campus State Championship title and finished the season with an impressive 24-2 record; and

WHEREAS, The Harriers' achievements and leadership are a justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on the players, their families, their school, their community, and their coaches. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and inspiration, and in leading their team to victory, Coach Chris Settle and his assistants have not only helped each athlete to

develop her talents to the fullest but also instilled in each a valuable sense of determination, perseverance, and camaraderie; 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 these exemplary athletes and their outstanding coaches for a job well done. The maturity and experience the team members have gained through participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the Miami University Hamilton women's basketball team on its tremendous 2012-2013 season and salute the players and coaches as fine citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Miami University Hamilton women's basketball team.