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Senator Beagle

RESOLUTION

Honoring the University of Dayton men's basketball team on its superb 2013-2014 season.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the University of Dayton men's basketball team on advancing to the Elite 8 of the 2014 NCAA Tournament; and

WHEREAS, A remarkable group of athletes, the members of the University of Dayton men'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 Flyers have worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in basketball, and as a result, they advanced to the Elite 8 of this year's National Collegiate Athletic Association Tournament and finished the season with an impressive 26-11 record; and

WHEREAS, The Flyers' 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 Archie Miller and his assistants have not only helped each athlete to develop his 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 their participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the University of Dayton men's basketball team on its tremendous season and salute the players and coaches as fine citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the University of Dayton men's basketball team.