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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring the Floyd Central
2 High School Navy Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps
3 Rifle Team.

4 *Whereas, The Floyd Central High School Navy Junior*
5 *Reserve Officers Training Corps (NJROTC) rifle team won the*
6 *NJROTC Precision Rifle National Championship for the second*
7 *consecutive year;*

8 *Whereas, The Floyd Central High School NJROTC rifle*
9 *team is known for exceptional marksmanship and consistently*
10 *demonstrates its excellence in shooting competitions;*

11 *Whereas, Its members shoot with air rifles in three positions:*
12 *prone, kneeling, and standing, allowing them to learn and*
13 *demonstrate precision and accuracy while following strict*
14 *safety protocols;*

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1 *Whereas, The Civilian Marksmanship Program, in*
2 *cooperation with the Missouri Marksmanship Education*
3 *Center, hosted the NJROTC National Championships at its new*
4 *state-of-the-art training facility in Columbia, Missouri, from*
5 *February 12 to February 14;*

6 *Whereas, Fifty-one sporter teams and 20 precision teams*
7 *gathered from across the country to compete for national*
8 *honors. Representing 22 states and a United States Department*
9 *of Defense school from Japan, the championship field*
10 *showcased the increasing strength and reach of scholastic*
11 *marksmanship;*

12 *Whereas, Competition was fierce from the first relay to the*
13 *final shot, but the Hoosier athletes from Floyd Central High*
14 *School rose to the occasion in commanding fashion;*

15 *Whereas, Cadets Megan Fondy, Logan Hall, Ysabelle*
16 *Martinez, Lacy Schillmiller, and Emma Velten make up the rifle*
17 *team that won the team competition with a score of 4,709,*
18 *which was 104 points higher than that of the second-place team*
19 *and by far the greatest margin of victory separating any of the*
20 *top contenders;*

21 *Whereas, Lacy Schillmiller finished first in the nation in the*
22 *individual competition, Ysabelle Martinez finished second, and*
23 *Logan Hall finished sixth with scores of 464.5, 464.1, and*
24 *418.4, respectively;*

25 *Whereas, Master Gunnery Sergeant Leonard Akermon is the*
26 *NJROTC instructor for Floyd Central High School and trains*
27 *the members of the rifle team to be outstanding marksmen;*

28 *Whereas, Competing on the rifle team requires cadets to be*
29 *extremely focused, patient, and disciplined, and they must excel*
30 *academically to participate; and*

31 *Whereas, Indiana shooting sports continue to demonstrate*
32 *not only competitive excellence but also the depth of talent*
33 *being developed within its scholastic programs, and the Floyd*
34 *Central High School NJROTC rifle team is a prime example:*



1 *Therefore,*

2 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the*
3 *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

4 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives
5 honors the Floyd Central High School NJROTC rifle team for
6 winning the NJROTC Precision Rifle National Championship
7 for the second consecutive year.

8 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
9 Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to State
10 Representative Edward D. Clere for distribution.

