

REPRESENTATIVE FEDOR

*Honoring Isaiah Villa  
as the 2011 Division IV, V, VI State Champion  
in power lifting in the 145-pound weight class.*

*WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Isaiah Villa for winning the 2011 Division IV, V, VI State Championship in power lifting in the 145-pound weight class; and*

*WHEREAS, Isaiah Villa's outstanding accomplishments in weightlifting are truly noteworthy, for he has clearly demonstrated talent as well as mental and physical fortitude. A student at Toledo Christian School and an exemplary athlete, he won the 145-pound weight class with a total lift of 1,085 pounds at this year's Division IV, V, VI State Championship, and his record of personal achievement stands as a hallmark worthy of emulation; and*

*WHEREAS, In a society that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual effort, athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. Through his participation in high school sports, Isaiah Villa has learned the important lessons of self-discipline, determination, hard work, and good sportsmanship that will undoubtedly be of great benefit to him throughout his life; and*

*WHEREAS, Weightlifting is an event that requires exceptional strength, perseverance, and natural ability, and Isaiah Villa is to be commended for his commitment to this demanding activity. In attaining his athletic goals, he has certainly distinguished himself as a true champion; therefore be it*

*RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud Isaiah Villa on his recent distinction and salute him as a fine Ohioan; and be it further*

*RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Isaiah Villa.*