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Senator Huffman, M.

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Mercer County Courthouse on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly 1 of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Mercer County Courthouse on its One Hundredth Anniversary; and 3 WHEREAS, Recognition of this prestigious milestone is a fitting 4 tribute to the Mercer County Courthouse, for it has long stood as a 5 piece of the area's unique story. Dedicated in 1923, the courthouse 6 has become a beloved pillar of its community and the centerpiece of 7 the City of Celina and Mercer County; and 8 WHEREAS, The Mercer County Courthouse has justly served as the 9 physical embodiment of the area's commitment to law and order. Its 10 anniversary is a tremendous source of pride and an excellent 11 reflection not only on the building itself but also on all those who 12 have sustained it and who have given tirelessly of their time, energy, 13 and support to this part of Ohio's history; and 14 WHEREAS, The Mercer County Courthouse has certainly become an 15 emblem of the area's rich heritage. In this modern era, in which the 16 durability of goods and values is often measured in months and days 17 rather than in years and decades, it is enlightening to discover that 18 this venerable structure still stands for future generations as a 19 testament to its achievements; therefore be it; therefore be it 20 RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 21 Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend the Mercer 22 County Courthouse on its One Hundredth Anniversary and look to its 23 future with optimism; and be it further 24 RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 25

authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Mercer County Courthouse.