



**RESOLUTION NO. 14-167: A RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMBERS AND COACHES OF THE 2014 HUDSON HIGH SCHOOL EXPLORER FOOTBALL TEAM IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNDEFEATED 10-0 REGULAR SEASON RECORD, THEIR WINNING THE NORTHEAST OHIO CONFERENCE VALLEY DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP, THEIR ACHIEVING THE OHIO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION'S DIVISION ONE FOOTBALL REGULAR SEASON CHAMPIONSHIP VIA VICTORY COMPUTER POINTS EARNED, THEIR BEING NAMED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATED PRESS AS THE REGULAR SEASON STATE OF OHIO DIVISION ONE FOOTBALL STATE CHAMPIONS, FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER IN HUDSON HIGH SCHOOL HISTORY REACHING THE FINAL FOUR IN THE OHIO STATE DIVISION ONE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYOFFS, AND ENDING THEIR FABULOUS SEASON AT 13-1.**

**WHEREAS**, the 2014 Hudson High School Football Team is recognized throughout Northeast Ohio and the entire State of Ohio as a skilled, well-disciplined, and an exceedingly well-coached student athletic team; and

**WHEREAS**, the citizens, the elected civic leaders, and the administrative staff of the City of Hudson recognize the dedication and long hours of practice that the members and coaching staff of the Hudson High School Football Team devoted in order to merit this recognition; and

**WHEREAS**, the pride and excitement of the numerous victories that culminated in a 13-1 season record spilled over and were shared by the entire Hudson community, as well as all of Northeastern Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hudson would like to express its sincere appreciation to all who, in some form or another, provided support, volunteered their time and efforts, and who encouraged and/or nurtured all of our wonderful student athletes for all teams and/or academic clubs/groups this 2014 Fall Season.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that:

**Section 1.** The Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Hudson wish to express their highest congratulations and admiration to the members and coaches of the Hudson High School Explorer Football Team for their outstanding achievement, of a remarkable 13-1 season and their being recognized as the State of Ohio Division One Regular Season State Champions, for the first time ever.

**Section 2.** The Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Hudson wish to express their sincere appreciation to all "Super Fans" of the Hudson community and especially thank the Hudson Police, Fire, and EMS Departments for the Lights and Siren escorts they provided for the team during the State Playoff Football Games.

**Section 3.** The Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Hudson wish to congratulate all members of all the Athletic Teams and Academic Clubs/Groups for their "SPECTACULAR" Fall 2014 Season.

**Section 4.** The content of this Resolution be incorporated within the official minutes of the Council of the City of Hudson.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this Resolution be provided to the 2014 Hudson High School Regular Season Division One State Champion Football Team.

Adopted this 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

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