
A resolution congratulating the Lima Senior High School DECA Team for winning first place in the DECA International Career Development Conference in Orlando, Florida.

Introduced by _____
CouncilorSeconded by _____
CouncilorForm Approved _____
Director of LawPUBLICATION: I hereby certify that this Resolution was published in a summary manner
according to law in the Lima News on __________
Dana Addis, Clerk**A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE
LIMA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL DECA TEAM
FOR WINNING FIRST PLACE IN THE DECA
INTERNATIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT
CONFERENCE IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA**

VOTE	1ST		2ND		3RD	
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WHEREAS, the Lima Senior High School DECA Team has achieved an outstanding victory by winning first place at the DECA International Competition held on April 29, 2025, in Orlando, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the team, comprised of students Christian Ackerman, Davyon Williamson, and Mallory Gipson, demonstrated exemplary professionalism, creativity, and dedication in representing Lima Senior High School and the City of Lima; and

WHEREAS, Their winning project, known as the “Sales Project,” encompassed four major milestones that played a key role in their success. Those four milestones included the Spartan Spirit Shack, the Corporate Sponsorship Drive, the Bagged Coffee Sale, and the DECA Marketplace; and

WHEREAS, this prestigious accomplishment not only reflects the hard work and commitment of the students but also highlights the dedication of their advisors, school staff, and the broader Lima community in supporting youth leadership and business education; and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Lima City Council that the efforts and success of the Lima Senior DECA Team should not go unrecognized; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LIMA, OHIO, WITH AT LEAST A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS ELECTED THERETO CONCURRING:

Section 1. That the Lima City Council, on behalf of the entire Lima Community, extend sincere appreciation to the Lima Senior High School DECA Team of Christian Ackerman, Davyon Williamson, and Mallory Gipson and their teachers Chrissy Hood and Calia Moseley, for the honor and recognition they have brought to our community.

Section 2. That the Clerk of Council is authorized and directed to provide a copy to the Lima Senior High School DECA Team members and the local news media.

Section 3. That the Clerk of Council is hereby authorized and directed to cause publication of this Resolution to be made in a summary manner as provided by the City Charter.

Section 4. This resolution shall take effect and be in force forthwith upon passage by an affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members elected to council at the first reading hereof. If it shall not so pass it shall take effect and be in force forthwith upon passage by an affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members elected to council at the second reading hereof. If it shall not so pass at second reading then it shall take effect and be in full force forthwith upon passage by an affirmative vote of at least a majority of the members elected to council at the third reading hereof. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Adopted: _____, 2025

Jamie L. Dixon, President

Approved: _____, 2025

Sharetta T. Smith, Mayor

Attest: _____
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