On behalf of the members of the House of Representatives of the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, we are pleased to extend special recognition to

DEBBIE TAVENNER

on the memorable occasion of your retirement from the Ohio Legislative Service Commission.

Throughout more than forty years of distinguished public service, you have demonstrated an unwavering dedication to performing your duties and fulfilling your responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and competence. Commencing your career as a fellow for the Ohio Legislative Service Commission in 1978, you worked for the Ohio Senate and the Online Computer Library Center before returning to LSC as an assistant librarian in 1989 and becoming its library administrator in 1997. In addition, you have been active with the National Conference of State Legislatures’ Legislative Research Librarians Professional Staff Association and the Columbus Bar Association Legal Research Committee, hosted librarian groups during their visits to Columbus, assisted with new staff training, and served on the LSC Holiday Party Planning Committee, and you have become a dynamic resource for tracking down books and articles from libraries across the state.

Always sincere and energetic in your approach to your work, you have given freely of your time and abilities far beyond what was required or expected and have displayed a genuine commitment to attaining your myriad goals in a skillful and professional manner. The enthusiasm and expertise you have shown in your endeavors have earned you the respect and admiration of all those with whom you have been associated. As you retire, you have the satisfaction of knowing that you have provided a valuable service to the community and state and have established a record of achievement that will stand as a hallmark for others to emulate.

Thus, it is with great pleasure that we congratulate you on your retirement and salute you as one of Ohio’s finest citizens.

KRISTIN BOGGS
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HOUSE DISTRICT 18

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