

RESOLUTION NO. 17-2014

Expressing the Congratulations of Worthington City Council to Sam Putka for being named a National Merit Scholarship Finalist and for his Academic and Extracurricular Achievements.

WHEREAS, Sam Putka was named a National Merit Scholarship Finalist in the academic scholarship competition; and,

WHEREAS, the National Merit Scholarship Program is an academic competition for recognition and scholarships that began in 1955; and,

WHEREAS, more than 1.5 million high school juniors entered the 2014 National Merit Scholarship competition by taking the Preliminary S.A.T. qualifying test; and,

WHEREAS, 16,000 students were named semi-finalists and continued in the competition for 8,000 National Merit Scholarships worth about \$35-million dollars; and,

WHEREAS, the Worthington community is proud to recognize six Worthington Schools seniors who have now been named as Finalists in this prestigious competition; and,

WHEREAS, Sam Putka is to be commended for his activities and accomplishments which include membership in the National Honor Society, Spanish National Honor Society and the Chemistry Club; participation on the Cross Country, Varsity Wrestling and Tennis Teams; and community service through the Amlin United Methodist Church and the Technology Committee for the 2012 Bond Levy disbursement,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Municipality of Worthington, County of Franklin, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That on behalf of the community, City Council wishes to extend sincere congratulations and recognition to Sam Putka for his achievements as a National Merit Scholar Finalist and in school, leadership, and service to his community.

SECTION 2. That City Council wishes to extend best wishes to Sam Putka in his future pursuits.

SECTION 3. That the Clerk of Council be instructed to forward a duly certified copy of this Resolution to Sam Putka and to record said Resolution in the appropriate record book.

Adopted May 19, 2014

/s/ Bonnie D. Michael
President of Council

Attest:

/s/ D. Kay Thress
Clerk of Council