



Gahanna

Proclamation

GAHANNA LINCOLN LIONS BOYS BOWLING

August 3, 2026

WHEREAS: The Gahanna Lincoln Lions Boys Bowling Team has demonstrated exceptional dedication, perseverance, sportsmanship, and competitive excellence throughout the 2025–2026 bowling season, earning recognition for Gahanna Lincoln High School and the City of Gahanna on the state and national stage; and

WHEREAS: The Lions concluded their remarkable season with a second-place finish at the 2026 United States High School Bowling National Championship, where they competed against 77 teams from across the nation; and

WHEREAS: The team achieved numerous historic milestones during an extraordinary season, including producing the first individual State Champion in program history as senior and team captain Kael Clous captured the state title; earning the highest team finish in program history with a fourth-place finish at the Ohio State Tournament; and setting new program records, including a remarkable 289 Baker game and a 1,213 team game at the U.S. High School Bowling National Championship; and

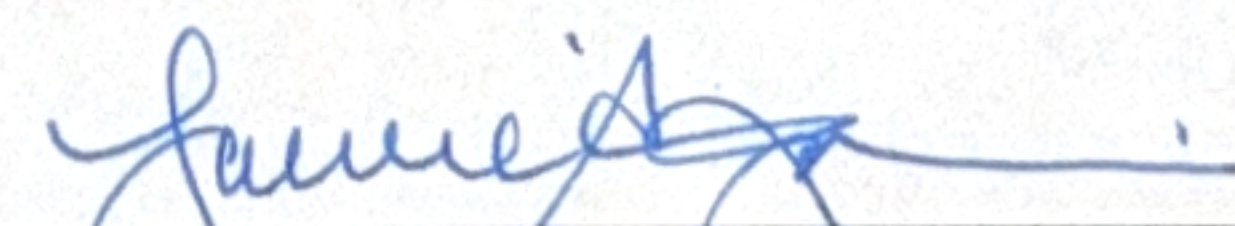
WHEREAS: Throughout their season, the Lions continued to build on the program's success by winning their second consecutive Ohio Capital Conference (OCC) Championship, their third consecutive Central Ohio High School Bowling Conference (COHSBC) Championship, and their second consecutive District Championship; and

WHEREAS: Behind the achievements of these outstanding student-athletes is the dedicated leadership of Head Coach Yvonne Quiero and Assistant Coach Ernest Sevous, who have fostered an environment of encouragement, discipline, and excellence that has empowered student-athletes to reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS: The City of Gahanna proudly recognizes the members of the Gahanna Lincoln Lions Boys Bowling Team: seniors and team captains Kael Clous and Will Gray; juniors Mitchell Genson and Caleb Petit; sophomore Kris Briscoe; and freshman Andy Oswald – for their outstanding achievements, exemplary sportsmanship, and the distinction they have brought to their school and to the Gahanna community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Laurie A. Jadwin, Mayor of the City of Gahanna, Ohio, do hereby congratulate the Gahanna Lincoln Lions Boys Bowling Team, their coaches, families, and supporters on an extraordinary season, and invite our citizens to join in commending them for their dedication, achievements, and the honor they have brought to our community on the state and national stage.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Gahanna, Ohio, to be affixed on this 3rd day of August in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Six.



Laurie A. Jadwin, Mayor

