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RESOLUTION NO. 50 - 2025

RECOGNIZING Malakai Lewars and **EXPRESSING** the appreciation of the Mayor and the Council of the City of Cincinnati for Malakai's outstanding athletic accomplishments in track and field.

WHEREAS, Malakai Lewars is a student athlete at Walnut Hills High School in the Class of 2026; and

WHEREAS, Malakai has always had a passion for participation in sports, excelling especially in track and field, where he consistently competes at an elite level; and

WHEREAS, Malakai has demonstrated extraordinary discipline and balance to improving his speed training, building his physical and mental endurance while also maintaining a rigorous academic schedule and consistently taking Advanced Placement classes; and

WHEREAS, Malakai won first place in the 400-meter dash at the Eastern Cincinnati Conference Championship on May 16, 2025; and

WHEREAS, during this race, Malakai broke a 31-year-old Walnut Hills High School record with a time of 48.86 seconds, surpassing the previous record of 49.27 seconds and achieving a long-standing personal goal; and

WHEREAS, Malakai serves as an example to his community and peers and has demonstrated what can be accomplished when one sets their mind on their goals; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

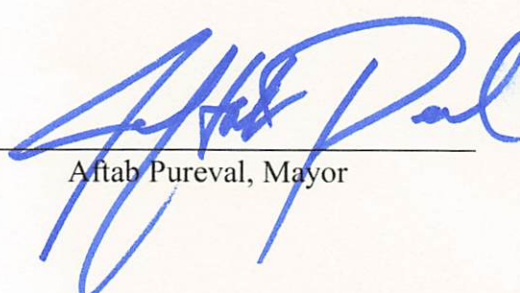
Section 1. That the Mayor and this Council hereby recognize Malakai Lewars for his outstanding athletic accomplishments in track and field.

Section 2. That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Council and that a copy be provided to Malakai Lewars through the office of Vice Mayor Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney.

Passed: June 11, 2025

Attest:


Clerk


Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Submitted by Vice Mayor Jan-Michele Lemon Kearney