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COMMON PLEAS BAILIFF HONORED BY STATE SENATE

COLUMBUS -- A bailiff at the Licking County Court of Common Pleas was honored by the Ohio Senate for his "commitment to excellence," according to the commendation.

Signed by Sens. Bill Harris, R-Ashland, and Tim Shaffer, R-Lancaster, the commendation praised William "Bill" Powell Jr. for his service in Judge Jon Spahr's courtroom.

"Through admirable devotion to service, you have distinguished yourself as a conscientious and hard-working Ohioan, and you are truly deserving of high praise," the outstanding achievement commendation reads.

Powell was named 2008 Court Officer of the Year by the Ohio Bailiffs and Court Officers Association in April.



THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
THE STATE OF OHIO
OHIO SENATE

HONORING
WILLIAM POWELL, JR.
FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

On behalf of the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, we are pleased to congratulate William Powell, Jr., on being named the 2008 Court Officer of the Year by the Ohio Bailiffs and Court Officers Associations.

A court officer serving under Judge Jon Spahr, you have combined civic concern and dedication with the utmost professionalism to become a dynamic leader in your field. Through admirable devotion to service, you have distinguished yourself as a conscientious and hard-working Ohioan, and you are truly deserving of high praise.

Willingly giving of your time, energy, and abilities far beyond what was required or expected, you have striven to better the world around you and have earned the respect and esteem of your colleagues and the community alike. We are certain that in the years to come, you will continue to display the same unwavering commitment to excellence for which you have become known.

Thus, with sincere pleasure, we commend you on your personal success and extend best wishes for the future.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Bill Harris".

Senator Bill Harris
President of the Ohio Senate

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Tim Schaffer".

Senator Tim Schaffer
31st Senatorial District