

109<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. RES. 936

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the City of Bowling Green, Kentucky, located in Warren County, can be proud of being a part of the history of the production of an American Icon, the Corvette, for 25 years.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 20, 2006

Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

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## RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the City of Bowling Green, Kentucky, located in Warren County, can be proud of being a part of the history of the production of an American Icon, the Corvette, for 25 years.

Whereas the Corvette is recognized around the world as a finely crafted automobile, and is known for its speed and American spirit;

Whereas the Corvette has been produced at the General Motors Corporation Corvette Assembly Plant in Bowling Green, Kentucky, since 1981;

Whereas the Corvette Assembly Plant assembles more than 35,000 Corvettes each year, and between 150 and 170

Corvettes each day, on a conveyor system that is approximately seven miles long;

Whereas the Corvette Assembly Plant is currently building the sixth generation Corvette;

Whereas it takes approximately 36 hours of work to construct a single Corvette;

Whereas the Corvette Assembly Plant employs hundreds of hard working individuals, including many who are members of United Auto Workers Local 2164;

Whereas employees at the Corvette Assembly Plant have been noted for numerous charitable works, including their donation of \$200,000 to the local organization of the United Way of America;

Whereas the Corvette Assembly Plant hosts more than 50,000 car enthusiasts each year;

Whereas the National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, Kentucky, has been open for almost 12 years and draws visitors from across the United States;

Whereas Corvettes have been used as pace cars in the Indianapolis 500 eight times; and

Whereas the Corvette has received over 70 automotive industry awards including the J.D. Power and Associate awarded the “Best in Segment” recognition in 2001 and 2002: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That it is the sense of the House of Rep-  
 2       resentatives that the City of Bowling Green, Kentucky, lo-  
 3       cated in Warren County, can be proud of being a part

- 1 of the history of the production of an American Icon, the
- 2 Corvette, for 25 years.

