



Representative Bill Hayes **House District 72**

I would like to take this opportunity to recognize

Nelson McCoy Pottery Company

for their contributions to Roseville, Perry County, and the surrounding area of Southeastern Ohio. Although no longer in operation, the Nelson McCoy Pottery Company began in 1910 and grew into the largest regional pottery company, employing 500 workers and boosting the local economy. Not only known for their utilitarian purposes, the Nelson McCoy Pottery Company's products have become a popular collector's item, with the McCoy Pottery Collectors' Society headquartered in South Carolina.

Thus, with the acknowledgment of the rich history of the Nelson McCoy Pottery Company with this Ohio Historical Society's Historical Marker, I commend all those involved in making this region so popular for pottery and collectors.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Bill Hayes".

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