

A RESOLUTION honoring Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. on the occasion of its tenth annual Delta Day at the Capitol.

WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority was founded by 22 collegiate women on January 13, 1913, at Howard University in Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority has grown its membership to over 200,000 predominantly African American, college-aged women; and

WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority continues to be active in the communities where it is most needed, implementing programs such as the Five Point Program Thrust, a public service initiative that combines Economic Development, Educational Development, International Awareness and Involvement, Physical and Mental Health Initiatives, and Political Awareness and Involvement; and

WHEREAS, for more than a century, Delta Sigma Theta has focused its efforts on the African American community and its citizens on issues of educational and fiscal importance and on the health and happiness of its members; and

WHEREAS, on February 10, 2016, Delta Sigma Theta will hold its tenth annual Delta Day at the Capitol, an event celebrating the vital history of Delta Sigma Theta in this Commonwealth and encouraging a more meaningful relationship between the sorority and its lawmakers; and

WHEREAS, this honorable body honors Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, congratulates its leadership and all its members, and grants all those attending Delta Day at the Capitol best wishes as they continue to serve as a beacon of light and goodwill for all Kentucky's citizens;

NOW, THEREFORE,

***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

➔Section 1. The House of Representatives hereby honors Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., and acknowledges the sorority's tenth annual Delta Day at the Capitol on

February 10, 2016.

➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in honor of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Reginald Meeks for delivery.