

1 A RESOLUTION recognizing All Masons Day on February 28, 2018.

2 WHEREAS, since their formation in the 14th century, the Masons have established  
3 themselves as one of the most vital and important fraternal organizations in the world;  
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5 WHEREAS, currently there are two million Masons in America, five million  
6 worldwide, and 38,000 in the Commonwealth of Kentucky; and

7 WHEREAS, the Masons come together to celebrate and explore their unwavering  
8 belief in God and their commitment to the brotherhood of man; and

9 WHEREAS, on February 28, 2018, the Masons will celebrate All Masons Day in  
10 the Kentucky General Assembly. This body recognizes all Masons, particularly Grand  
11 Master Timothy D. Sanders, Deputy Grand Master Gary C. Rose, Grand Senior Warden  
12 Geary Laird, Grand Junior Warden Ernest Jackson, Grand Treasurer F. Keith Dreier, and  
13 Grand Secretary Donald H. Yankey; and

14 WHEREAS, it is rightful and just that the members of this honorable body  
15 acknowledge those Masons who have traveled to Frankfort on this day and celebrate their  
16 accomplishments and the unparalleled integrity of this organization as they come together  
17 in recognition of this historic occasion;

18 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

21 ➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby recognize All  
22 Masons Day on February 28, 2018, and thank all those Masons in this Commonwealth  
23 who stand beside their brothers in the name of God Almighty.

24 ➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in  
25 recognition of All Masons Day and of this Commonwealth's proud Masons.

26 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a  
27 copy of this Resolution to Representative Rocky Adkins for delivery.