

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Clifton
2 Richard "Rick" Smith.

3 WHEREAS, Rick Smith was born in Louisville, Kentucky, on April 13, 1951, to
4 Dr. C.R. Smith and Josephine Shanahan Smith; and

5 WHEREAS, Rick Smith graduated from Clark County High School in 1969 and
6 then earned his degree in animal science from University of Kentucky. He used this
7 knowledge to be a good steward of the land as a farmer and the manager of Stoney Brook
8 Farm; and

9 WHEREAS, Rick Smith assisted his community as President of the Kentucky
10 Association of Counties and served terms as president and board member of the Kentucky
11 Magistrates and Commissioners Association; and

12 WHEREAS, Rick Smith served as Clark County Magistrate and Clark County
13 Commissioner for 25 years; and

14 WHEREAS, Rick Smith achieved the rank of Eagle Scout with Troop 75; and

15 WHEREAS, Rick Smith shared his life as a deacon and elder of First Christian
16 Church; and

17 WHEREAS, Rick Smith departed this earthly life on January 16, 2018, leaving
18 those who knew and loved him in solemn mourning; and

19 WHEREAS, Rick Smith was preceded in death by his father, Dr. C. R. Smith; and
20 his brother, Stephen Smith; and

21 WHEREAS, Rick Smith is survived by his wife, Suzy Fockele Smith; his mother;
22 his two sons, Dr. Rex Smith and Rich Smith; his grandchildren, Reagan Smith, Clay
23 Smith, Tyler Smith, and Cole Smith; and his two sisters, Lynn Roberts and Deborah
24 Hoffman;

25 NOW, THEREFORE,

26 ***Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of***
27 ***Kentucky:***

1 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate offer their most profound sympathy on
2 the passing of Clifton Richard "Rick" Smith and extended heartfelt condolences to his
3 family, his friends, and the community that he served.

4 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
5 memory of Clifton Richard "Rick" Smith.

6 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
7 Resolution to Senator Ralph Alvarado for delivery.