

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of William  
2 Franklin Polk Jr.

3 WHEREAS, William Franklin Polk Jr. was the cherished son of the late William F.  
4 Polk Sr. and Mary Alice Palmer Polk; and

5 WHEREAS, a proud veteran of the United States Navy, William Franklin Polk Jr.  
6 graduated with honors from Vanderbilt University and the University of Louisville  
7 School of Law. He was a practicing attorney in Henderson for 27 years; and

8 WHEREAS, after his retirement, William Franklin Polk Jr. would earn a master of  
9 laws degree from American University and would volunteer at the capital office of the  
10 American Civil Liberties Union in Washington, D.C.; and

11 WHEREAS, William Franklin Polk Jr., beloved husband, father, grandfather, and  
12 brother, departed this earthly life on February 8, 2018, leaving his family, friends, and all  
13 those whose lives he touched in solemn mourning; and

14 WHEREAS, William Franklin Polk Jr. is survived by his wife of 50 years, Martha  
15 Quinn Polk; children, William Franklin Polk III and Major John Cunningham Polk and  
16 his wife, Rumana Ahmad; granddaughter, Naaz; sisters, Mary Louise and Alice Palmer  
17 Polk; and a host of other family members, friends, and loved ones who will dearly miss  
18 his presence in their lives;

19 NOW, THEREFORE,

20 ***Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of***  
21 ***Kentucky:***

22 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby express their most profound  
23 sympathy upon the passing of William Franklin Polk Jr., and posthumously thank him for  
24 his service to this great nation and for his many contributions to the Henderson  
25 community.

26 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving  
27 memory of William Franklin Polk Jr.

- 1        ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
- 2 Resolution to Senator Dorsey Ridley for delivery.