

1 A RESOLUTION honoring Louisville chef Dallas McGarity for winning Food
2 Network's *Chopped*.

3 WHEREAS, a native of South Carolina, Dallas McGarity graduated from Johnson
4 and Wales University before moving to Louisville in 2004; and

5 WHEREAS, after working at several Louisville restaurants as Executive Chef,
6 Dallas McGarity opened The Fat Lamb in November 2016. In March 2018, Chef
7 McGarity opened his second restaurant, Portage House, in Jeffersonville, Indiana; and

8 WHEREAS, on February 19, 2019, Dallas McGarity appeared on the Food Network
9 program *Chopped*; and

10 WHEREAS, competing against three other chefs, Dallas McGarity won the
11 competition and captured the \$10,000 prize; and

12 WHEREAS, in the final round of the competition, Dallas McGarity combined
13 chicken fried rice, cream-filled chocolate eggs, dried apricots, and chili oil to create a
14 chocolate cream mousse. The desert, in both its taste and presentation, wowed the judges
15 and sealed the win for Chef McGarity; and

16 WHEREAS, this honorable body rightfully congratulates Dallas McGarity for his
17 win on Food Network's *Chopped*, and acknowledges his profound contributions to an
18 already extraordinary restaurant scene in Louisville, Kentucky;

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 congratulate Chef Dallas
23 McGarity for his win on Food Network's *Chopped*, and grant him best wishes as he
24 continues his good work at The Fat Lamb and Portage House Restaurant.

25 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor of Dallas
26 McGarity.

27 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this

- 1 Resolution to Senator Morgan McGarvey for delivery.